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STATISTICAL SUMMARY.

Section I.—Population and Vital Statistics.

AREA AND POPULATION.

States and Territories.	Area. Square Miles.	Population (Exclusive of Full-blooded Australian Aborigines).						
		Census—3rd April, 1911.			Estimated 31st March, 1920.			Capital Cities, 31st Dec., 1919.
		Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
N.S.W. . .	309,432	857,698	789,036	1,646,734	1,021,186	998,766	2,019,952	828,700
Victoria..	87,884	655,591	659,960	1,315,551	741,579	757,211	1,498,790	743,000
Q'land. . .	670,500	329,506	276,307	605,813	379,687	347,684	727,371	189,576
S. Aust. . .	380,070	207,358	201,200	408,558	226,246	244,534	470,780	256,660
W. Aust.	975,920	161,565	120,549	282,114	177,779	154,765	332,544	142,000
Tasmania	26,215	97,591	93,620	191,211	113,258	104,863	218,121	45,390
N. Ter. . .	523,620	2,734	576	3,310	3,479	1,090	4,569	..
Fed. Ter.	940	992	722	1,714	1,184	963	2,147	..
C'wealth	2,974,581	2,313,035	2,141,970	4,455,005	2,664,398	2,609,876	5,274,274	2,205,326

ESTIMATED POPULATION, EXCLUSIVE OF FULL-BLOODED ABORIGINALS.

31st Dec.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queens- land.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tas- mania.	Nor. Ter.	Fed. Ter.	Common- wealth.
1900	1,360,305	1,196,213	493,847	357,250	179,967	172,900	4,857	..	3,765,339
1905	1,487,884	1,210,421	531,482	362,621	250,138	186,385	4,046	..	4,032,977
1906	1,521,618	1,219,832	538,973	366,513	255,173	185,472	3,904	..	4,091,485
1907	1,561,572	1,232,807	545,805	373,663	254,540	189,598	3,737	..	4,161,722
1908	1,583,923	1,250,449	557,099	385,831	259,671	191,733	3,572	..	4,232,278
1909	1,613,899	1,277,022	577,845	392,897	265,675	193,119	3,503	..	4,323,960
1910	1,643,855	1,301,408	599,016	406,868	276,832	193,803	3,301	..	4,425,083
1911	1,696,475	1,339,102	622,129	418,172	294,181	193,479	3,248	1,921*	4,568,707
1912	1,777,534	1,380,561	636,425	430,090	306,129	197,205	3,475	1,940	4,733,359
1913	1,831,716	1,412,119	660,158	440,047	320,684	201,675	3,672	1,988	4,872,059
1914	1,861,522	1,430,667	676,707	441,690	323,018	201,416	3,973	1,959	4,940,952
1915	1,870,419	1,419,176	678,675	438,285	318,016	201,025	4,563	1,829	4,931,988
1916	1,858,544	1,398,884	669,467	432,709	308,806	199,925	4,767	2,223	4,875,325
1917	1,890,654	1,411,004	677,827	436,214	309,423	203,177	4,908	2,104	4,935,311
1918	1,930,240	1,430,758	694,440	445,708	313,447	208,873	4,781	2,232	5,030,479
1919	2,002,631	1,495,938	725,220	468,194	331,660	216,751	4,706	1,919	5,247,019

* Formerly part of New South Wales.

ESTIMATED MEAN POPULATION, EXCLUSIVE OF FULL-BLOODED ABORIGINALS.

Year.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queens-land.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Nor. Ter.	Fed. Ter.*	Common-wealth.
1901	1,363,373	1,203,137	501,432	357,343	188,135	172,525	4,765	..	3,790,710
1905	1,470,916	1,206,046	528,928	359,940	246,681	184,478	4,128	..	4,001,117
1906	1,504,732	1,213,672	536,200	363,110	254,362	184,272	3,976	..	4,060,324
1907	1,543,663	1,225,503	542,730	367,710	255,510	184,791	3,822	..	4,123,729
1908	1,573,347	1,240,488	553,619	377,994	257,822	187,485	3,655	..	4,194,410
1909	1,598,015	1,261,169	569,950	388,439	263,279	190,227	3,538	..	4,274,617
1910	1,632,990	1,282,477	591,591	397,700	271,019	191,005	3,403	..	4,370,185
1911	1,662,200	1,320,374	614,352	411,218	286,807	190,316	3,319	1,780	4,490,366
1912	1,736,738	1,356,387	631,577	421,644	301,426	191,684	3,359	2,037	4,644,852
1913	1,808,241	1,393,180	652,555	433,588	314,002	195,986	3,660	2,449	4,803,661
1914	1,852,506	1,423,513	674,932	440,012	323,462	198,372	3,751	2,646	4,919,194
1915	1,868,593	1,426,710	686,924	439,442	322,357	199,337	4,403	2,467	4,950,233
1916	1,867,063	1,408,927	677,630	433,245	314,710	198,164	4,849	2,613	4,907,201
1917	1,875,744	1,405,466	673,992	432,188	308,579	198,924	4,958	2,493	4,902,344
1918	1,911,560	1,417,760	688,547	440,213	311,093	203,793	4,994	2,427	4,980,387
1919	1,966,209	1,466,242	712,928	455,768	323,502	211,416	4,808	2,311	5,143,184

* Part of New South Wales prior to 1911.

ESTIMATED INCREASE OF POPULATION.

States and Territories.	1915.	1916.	1917.	1918.	1919.	3 Months of	
						1919.	1920.

NATURAL INCREASE (EXCESS OF BIRTHS OVER DEATHS).

New South Wales	33,346	32,234	34,507	31,893	22,188	7,766	7,424
Victoria..	19,186	17,746	18,478	16,420	12,249	3,729	4,461
Queensland	12,604	11,398	13,232	12,385	9,843	2,927	2,398
South Australia ..	7,104	6,780	6,961	6,967	5,585	1,693	1,619
Western Australia	6,025	5,478	5,113	4,273	3,347	1,070	1,116
Tasmania ..	3,830	3,586	3,608	3,478	3,118	842	941
Northern Territory	—36	—48	6	31	21	3	1
Federal Territory	30	55	31	43	9	..	1
Total ..	82,089	77,229	81,936	75,490	56,360	18,030	17,961

NET IMMIGRATION (EXCESS OF IMMIGRATION OVER EMIGRATION).

New South Wales	—24,449	—44,109	—13,102	7,693	50,203	8,518	9,897
Victoria..	—30,677	—38,038	—6,358	3,334	52,931	16,574	—1,609
Queensland	—10,636	—20,606	5,833	4,228	20,937	2,977	—247
South Australia ..	—10,509	—12,356	—3,456	2,527	16,901	674	967
Western Australia	—11,027	—14,688	—4,496	—249	14,866	2,986	—232
Tasmania ..	—4,221	—4,686	—356	2,218	4,760	—385	429
Northern Territory	626	252	135	—158	—96	—127	—138
Federal Territory	—160	339	—150	85	—322	229	227
Total ..	—91,053	—133,892	—21,950	19,678	160,180	31,446	9,294

NOTE.—Minus sign (—) denotes excess of Deaths over Births and Emigration over Immigration.

ESTIMATED INCREASE OF POPULATION—continued.

States and Territories.	1915.	1916.	1917.	1918.	1919.	3 Months of	
						1919.	1920.

TOTAL ESTIMATED INCREASE.

New South Wales ..	8,897	— 11,875	21,405	39,586	72,391	16,284	17,321
Victoria ..	— 11,491	— 20,292	12,120	19,754	65,180	20,303	2,852
Queensland ..	1,968	— 9,208	19,065	16,613	30,780	5,904	2,151
South Australia ..	— 3,405	— 5,576	3,505	9,494	22,486	2,367	2,586
Western Australia ..	— 5,002	— 9,210	617	4,024	18,213	4,056	884
Tasmania ..	— 391	— 1,100	3,252	5,696	7,878	457	1,370
Northern Territory ..	590	204	141	— 127	— 75	— 124	— 137
Federal Territory ..	— 130	394	— 119	128	— 313	229	228
Total ..	— 8,964	— 56,663	59,986	95,168	216,540	49,476	27,255

NOTE.—Minus sign (—) denotes decrease.

BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES.

QUARTER ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1920.

States and Territories.	Births.			Deaths.			Marriages.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
New South Wales ..	6,215	5,909	12,124	2,714	1,986	4,700	4,779
Victoria ..	4,293	4,165	8,458	2,173	1,824	3,997	3,544
Queensland ..	2,415	2,128	4,543	1,301	844	2,145	1,571
South Australia ..	1,457	1,376	2,833	678	536	1,214	1,127
Western Australia ..	1,029	914	1,943	515	312	827	673
Tasmania ..	692	698	1,390	240	209	449	484
Northern Territory ..	14	7	21	18	2	20	5
Federal Territory ..	2	1	3	1	1	2	3
Commonwealth ..	16,117	15,198	31,315	7,640	5,714	13,354	12,186

BIRTHS.—NUMBER, 1915–1920.

States and Territories.	1915.	1916.	1917.	1918.	1919.	3 Months of	
						1919.	1920.
New South Wales ..	52,931	52,080	52,448	50,709	48,532	12,263	12,124
Victoria ..	35,009	34,235	33,033	31,597	31,619	8,031	8,458
Queensland ..	20,163	18,912	19,787	19,536	18,699	4,863	4,543
South Australia ..	11,798	11,857	11,326	11,357	11,060	2,736	2,833
Western Australia ..	9,017	8,563	7,882	7,106	6,937	1,785	1,943
Tasmania ..	5,845	5,642	5,376	5,280	5,310	1,273	1,390
Northern Territory ..	61	74	69	105	106	22	21
Federal Territory ..	47	63	44	49	27	11	3
Commonwealth ..	134,871	131,426	129,965	125,739	122,290	30,984	31,315

BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES—*continued.*

States and Territories.	1915.	1916.	1917.	1918.	1919.	3 Months of	
						1919.	1920.

BIRTH RATES.—PER 1,000 OF MEAN POPULATION.

						†	†
New South Wales	28.33	27.89	27.96	26.53	24.68	25.87	24.24
Victoria ..	24.54	24.30	23.50	22.29	21.56	22.60	22.72
Queensland ..	29.35	27.91	29.36	28.37	26.23	28.27	25.16
South Australia ..	26.85	27.37	26.21	25.80	24.27	24.83	24.27
Western Australia	27.97	27.21	25.54	22.84	21.44	22.95	23.53
Tasmania ..	29.32	28.47	27.03	25.91	25.12	24.69	25.71
Northern Territory	13.85	15.26	13.92	21.03	22.05	18.86	18.21
Federal Territory	19.05	24.11	17.65	20.19	11.68	18.75	5.94
Commonwealth	27.25	26.78	26.51	25.25	23.78	24.86	23.94

DEATHS.—NUMBER.

New South Wales	19,585	19,846	17,941	18,816	26,344	4,497	4,700
Victoria ..	15,823	16,489	14,555	15,177	19,370	4,302	3,997
Queensland ..	7,559	7,514	6,555	7,151	8,856	1,936	2,145
South Australia ..	4,694	5,077	4,365	4,390	5,475	1,043	1,214
Western Australia	2,992	3,085	2,769	2,833	3,590	715	827
Tasmania ..	2,015	2,056	1,768	1,802	2,192	431	449
Northern Territory	97	122	63	74	85	19	20
Federal Territory	17	8	13	6	18	11	2
Commonwealth	52,782	54,197	48,029	50,249	65,930*	12,954	13,354

DEATH RATES.—PER 1,000 OF MEAN POPULATION.

						†	†
New South Wales	10.48	10.63	9.56	9.84	13.40	9.40	9.40
Victoria ..	11.09	11.70	10.36	10.70	13.21	12.11	10.74
Queensland ..	11.00	11.09	9.73	10.39	12.42	11.26	11.88
South Australia ..	10.68	11.72	10.10	9.97	12.01	9.47	10.40
Western Australia	9.28	9.80	8.97	9.11	11.10	9.19	10.02
Tasmania ..	10.11	10.38	8.89	8.84	10.37	8.36	8.31
Northern Territory	22.03	25.16	12.71	14.82	17.68	16.32	17.35
Federal Territory	6.89	3.06	5.21	2.47	7.79	18.75	3.96
Commonwealth	10.66	11.04	9.80	10.09	12.82*	10.39	10.21

* Large increase is mainly due to influenza epidemic.

† Equivalent annual rate.

BIRTHS, DEATHS, AND MARRIAGES—*continued.*

States and Territories.	1915.	1916.	1917.	1918.	1919.	3 Months of	
						1919.	1920.

MARRIAGES.—NUMBER, 1915–1920.

New South Wales	18,095	16,316	13,246	13,194	15,809	3,375	4,779
Victoria..	12,832	11,342	9,505	9,156	11,706	2,197	3,544
Queensland ..	6,135	5,208	4,868	4,815	5,429	1,142	1,571
South Australia ..	3,965	3,602	3,252	3,190	3,855	744	1,127
Western Australia	2,581	2,365	1,621	1,612	2,194	470	673
Tasmania ..	1,600	1,433	1,138	1,131	1,513	307	484
Northern Territory	12	19	34	39	25	7	5
Federal Territory	4	4	2	4	9	2	3
Commonwealth	45,224	40,289	33,666	33,141	40,540	8,244	12,186

MARRIAGE RATES.—PER 1,000 OF MEAN POPULATION.

New South Wales	9.68	8.74	7.06	6.90	8.04	†	†
Victoria..	8.99	8.05	6.76	6.46	7.98	6.18	9.52
Queensland ..	8.93	7.69	7.22	6.99	7.62	6.64	8.70
South Australia ..	9.02	8.31	7.52	7.25	8.46	6.75	8.69
Western Australia	8.01	7.51	5.25	5.18	6.78	6.04	8.15
Tasmania ..	8.03	7.23	5.72	5.55	7.16	5.95	8.95
Northern Territory	2.73	3.92	6.86	7.81	5.20	5.93	4.34
Federal Territory	1.62	1.53	0.80	1.65	3.89	3.33	5.94
Commonwealth	9.14	8.21	6.87	6.65	7.88	6.61	9.32

† Equivalent annual rate.

ESTIMATED MIGRATION—COMMONWEALTH, 1906-1920.

Year.	Arrivals.			Departures.		
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.
1906	33,818	17,069	50,887	37,346	18,590	55,936
1907	45,755	22,883	68,638	42,822	20,621	63,443
1908	48,677	23,531	72,208	45,390	21,381	66,771
1909	57,487	26,122	83,609	42,221	19,605	61,826
1910	65,745	29,947	95,692	45,704	20,076	65,780
1911	96,964	44,945	141,909	50,269	22,340	72,609
1912	110,387	56,571	166,958	59,076	24,141	83,217
1913	90,680	51,226	141,906	60,694	26,439	87,133
1914	74,277	36,809	111,086	100,145	28,311	128,456
1915	50,619	20,342	70,961	144,305	17,709	162,014
1916	48,911	14,494	63,405	180,474	16,823	197,297
1917	55,264	9,825	65,089	76,601	10,438	87,039
1918	69,530	9,395	78,925	51,107	8,140	59,247
1919	197,721	25,235	222,956	46,481	16,295	62,776
1920 (January–March)	19,934	10,611	30,545	13,849	7,402	21,251

MIGRATION, COMMONWEALTH.

ARRIVALS and DEPARTURES according to Nationality or Race of Persons who arrived in or departed from the Commonwealth during the First Quarter of the Years 1919 and 1920.

Nationality or Race.	Arrivals.		Departures.	
	First Quarter.		First Quarter.	
	1919.	1920.	1919.	1920.
British	8,950	19,984	8,636	16,095
Austrian .. . . .	..	2	7	5
Danish	35	27	30	24
Dutch	76	147	35	75
French	112	148	120	184
German	1	11	2	30
Greek	41	22	31	41
Italian	13	96	80	246
Norwegian	52	28	44	24
Russian	32	12	37	39
Spanish	7	9	11	23
Swedish	54	27	54	22
Swiss	4	16	2	7
Turkish .. . . .	..	..	1	..
United States	232	312	203	330
Other White	25	39	29	83
 Total, White Nationalities or Races ..	9,634	20,880	9,322	17,228
 Afghans	1	..	1	..
Chinese	310	664	686	870
Japanese	302	155	319	241
Malays	93	115	71	67
Natives of India and Ceylon ..	114	185	183	132
Syrians	1	6	..	..
Other Asiatics	42	26	67	3
Negroes, American .. . . .	..	2	..	..
Papuans	60	7	20	97
Polynesians, Melanesians	22	57	30	76
Other Coloured	129	315	21	94
 Total, Coloured Nationalities or Races ..	1,074	1,532	1,398	1,580
 Allowance for unrecorded departures ..	..	..	1,413	2,424
 Expeditionary Forces	33,177	8,133	306	19
 TOTAL ALL NATIONALITIES OR RACES	43,885	30,545	12,439	21,251

MIGRATION, COMMONWEALTH.

ARRIVALS and DEPARTURES according to the Countries whence the Persons arrived or to which they departed during the First Quarter of the Years 1919 and 1920.

Country.	Arrivals.		Departures.	
	First Quarter.		First Quarter.	
	1919.	1920.	1919.	1920.
United Kingdom	2,740	9,539	1,404	4,709
Canada	582	172	663	451
Cape Colony	42	195	17	246
Fiji	185	243	292	200
Hong Kong	203	527	660	479
India and Ceylon	126	314	163	335
Natal	2	33	98	188
New Zealand	1,923	5,958	2,613	6,253
Norfolk Island	27	21	15	15
Papua	164	35	126	237
Straits Settlements	391	449	399	310
Other British Possessions	440	124	101	291
Total, British Countries	6,825	17,610	6,551	13,714
China	60	54	25	136
France .. .. ..	..	94	2	138
Germany .. .. ..	..	..	..	..
Italy .. .. ..	..	69	75	245
Japan	137	139	195	266
New Caledonia	128	97	116	119
South Sea Islands	51	40	43	50
United States	380	677	435	764
Other Foreign Countries	357	838	231	491
Total, Foreign Countries	1,113	2,008	1,122	2,209
Crews discharged or shipped	2,770	2,794	3,047	2,885
Allowance for unrecorded departures .. .. ..	..	..	1,413	2,424
Expeditionary Forces	33,177	8,133	306	19
TOTAL, ALL COUNTRIES	43,885	30,545	12,439	21,251

NOMINATED AND SELECTED IMMIGRANTS WHO ARRIVED IN THE COMMONWEALTH DURING 1919.

State.	Nominated.			Selected.			Total.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	
New South Wales ..	14	52	66	1	..	1	67
Victoria ..	32	66	98	28	13	41	139
Queensland ..	9	30	39	..	..	..	39
South Australia ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Western Australia ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Tasmania ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Total Year 1911 ..	9,930	9,230	19,160	13,592	7,044	20,636	39,796
" 1912 ..	14,738	15,744	30,482	9,942	6,288	16,230	46,712
" 1913 ..	11,232	14,627	25,859	7,570	4,016	11,586	37,445
" 1914 ..	5,036	6,573	11,609	6,412	2,784	9,196	20,805
" 1915 ..	1,437	2,408	3,845	685	1,266	1,951	5,796
" 1916 ..	342	792	1,134	79	184	263	1,397
" 1917 ..	121	317	438	24	42	66	504
" 1918 ..	79	347	426	..	..	..	426
" 1919 ..	55	148	203	29	13	42	245

Section II.—Production.

PRINCIPAL CROPS IN THE COMMONWEALTH, 1909-10 TO 1919-20.

AREA UNDER CROPS.

Season.	Grain.			Hay.	Sugar Cane.	Total under all Crops.
	Wheat.	Oats.	Maize.			
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
1909-10	6,586,236	698,448	364,585	2,228,029	142,261	10,972,299
1910-11	7,372,456	676,688	414,914	2,258,405	155,542	11,893,838
1911-12	7,427,834	616,857	340,065	2,518,288	144,283	12,107,017
1912-13	7,339,651	874,284	314,936	3,217,041	155,567	13,038,049
1913-14	9,287,398	859,020	331,879	2,754,672	160,976	14,683,012
1914-15	9,651,081	774,734	339,781	2,628,613	172,616	15,651,974
1915-16	12,484,512	721,444	323,637	3,597,771	164,285	18,528,234
1916-17	11,532,828	844,130	360,072	2,671,862	178,190	16,806,380
1917-18	9,774,658	615,800	332,057	2,212,914	186,484	14,298,982
1918-19	7,990,165	768,152	286,812	2,692,904	171,024	13,332,393
1919-20 [¶]	6,412,708					

TOTAL YIELD.

Season.	Grain.			Hay.	Sugar Cane.
	Wheat.	Oats.	Maize.		
	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Tons.	Tons.
1909-10	90,413,597	14,734,868	10,770,648	3,153,196	1,294,650
1910-11	95,111,983	15,428,456	13,044,081	3,176,391	2,000,758
1911-12	71,636,347	9,561,771	8,939,855	2,867,973	1,682,250
1912-13	91,981,070	16,116,712	8,356,158	3,955,311	1,135,141
1913-14	103,344,132	15,232,048	9,173,821	3,372,596	2,271,558
1914-15	24,892,402	4,341,104	8,455,561	1,733,944	2,104,239
1915-16	179,065,703	16,538,979	6,793,509	5,633,988	1,310,264
1916-17	152,420,189	14,018,009	8,527,116	3,507,589	1,723,072
1917-18	114,733,584	10,387,431	8,843,262	2,723,921	2,879,092
1918-19	75,638,262	10,441,080	6,912,153	2,893,602	1,780,063
1919-20	46,800,908				

AVERAGE YIELD PER ACRE.

	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Tons.	Tons. [§]
1909-10	13.73	21.10	29.54	1.42	14.95
1910-11	12.90	22.80	31.44	1.41	19.96
1911-12	9.64	15.50	26.29	1.14	16.65
1912-13	12.53	18.43	26.53	1.23	13.47
1913-14	11.13	17.73	27.56	1.22	20.84
1914-15	2.58	5.60	24.89	0.66	18.45
1915-16	14.34	22.92	20.99	1.57	13.04
1916-17	13.22	16.60	23.68	1.31	21.24
1917-18	11.74	16.87	26.63	1.23	25.19
1918-19	9.47	13.59	24.10	1.07	15.33
1919-20	7.30				

AREA UNDER WHEAT—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, 1910-11 TO 1919-20.

Season.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	N. Ter.	C'wealth.
	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.	Acres.
1910-11	2,128,826	2,398,089	106,718	2,104,717	581,862	52,242	2	7,372,456
1911-12	†2,380,710	2,164,066	42,962	2,190,782	612,104	37,208	2	7,427,834
1912-13	†2,231,514	2,085,216	124,963	2,079,633	793,096	25,226	3	7,339,651
1913-14	†3,205,397	2,565,861	132,655	2,267,851	1,097,193	18,432	9	9,287,398
1914-15	†2,758,024	2,863,535	127,015	2,502,630	1,376,012	23,865	..	9,651,081
1915-16	†4,188,865	3,679,971	93,703	2,739,214	1,734,117	48,642	..	12,484,512
1916-7	†3,806,604	3,125,692	227,778	2,778,357	1,566,608	27,789	..	11,532,828
1917-8	†3,329,371	2,690,216	127,815	2,355,682	1,249,762	21,812	..	9,774,658
1918-9	†2,409,669	2,214,490	21,637	2,186,349	1,146,103	11,917	..	7,990,165
1919-20 [¶]	1,450,540	1,918,269	37,409	1,921,515	1,074,975	10,000	..	6,412,708

† Including Federal Territory, 742 acres 1911-12, 1,014 acres 1912-13, 1,825 acres 1913-14, 1,681 acres 1914-15, 2,372 acres 1915-16, 905 acres in 1916-17, 515 acres in 1917-18, and 36 acres in 1918-19.

§ Per acre of productive cane.

¶ Preliminary figures.

TOTAL YIELD OF WHEAT—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, 1910-11 to 1919-20.

Season.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania.	N. Ter.	C'wealth.
1910-1	Bushels. 27,913,547	Bushels. 34,813,019	Bushels. 1,022,373	Bushels. 24,344,740	Bushels. 5,897,540	Bushels. 1,120,744	20	Bushels. 95,111,983
1911-2	*25,088,102	20,891,877	285,109	20,352,720	4,358,904	659,615	20	71,636,347
1912-3	*32,487,336	26,223,104	1,975,505	21,496,216	9,168,594	630,315	..	91,981,070
1913-4	*38,020,381	32,936,245	1,769,432	16,936,988	13,331,350	349,736	..	103,344,132
1914-5	*12,830,530	3,940,947	1,585,087	3,527,428	2,624,190	384,220	..	24,892,402
1915-6	*66,764,910	58,521,706	414,438	34,134,504	18,236,355	993,790	..	179,065,703
1916-7	*36,598,000	51,162,438	2,463,141	45,745,064	16,103,216	348,330	..	152,420,189
1917-8	*37,712,000	37,737,552	1,035,268	28,692,594	9,303,787	252,383	..	114,733,584
1918-9	*18,325,000	25,239,871	104,509	22,936,925	8,845,387	186,570	..	75,638,262
1919-20 [‡]	4,296,630	14,858,380	286,925	14,947,413	12,270,560	141,000	..	46,800,908

* Including Federal Territory, 7,991 bushels 1911-12, 20,830 bushels 1912-13, 24,313 bushels 1913-14, 17,727 bushels 1914-15, 38,451 bushels 1915-16, 12,620 bushels 1916-17, 7,374 bushels 1917-18, and 360 bushels 1918-19. [‡] Subject to amendment.

AVERAGE YIELD OF WHEAT PER ACRE—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, 1910-11 to 1919-20.

	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.	Bushels.
1910-1	13.11	13.72	9.58	11.57	10.14	21.45	10.00	12.90
1911-2	10.54	9.65	6.64	9.29	7.12	17.73	10.00	9.64
1912-3	14.56	12.58	15.81	10.34	11.56	24.99	..	12.53
1913-4	11.86	12.84	13.34	7.47	12.15	18.97	..	11.13
1914-5	4.65	1.37	12.48	1.41	1.91	16.10	..	2.58
1915-6	15.94	15.90	4.42	12.46	10.52	20.43	..	14.34
1916-7	9.61	16.37	10.82	16.46	10.28	12.53	..	13.22
1917-8	11.21	14.03	8.10	12.18	7.44	11.57	..	11.74
1918-9	7.60	11.40	4.83	10.49	7.72	15.66	..	9.47
1919-20	2.96	7.75	7.67	7.78	11.41	14.10	..	7.30

NUMBER OF PRINCIPAL LIVE STOCK—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, 1909-18.

31st Dec.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania.	N. Ter.	Fed. Ter.*	C'wealth.
SHEEP.									

1909	46,202,578	12,937,983	19,593,791	6,432,038	4,731,737	1,734,761	43,393	..	91,676,281
1910	45,560,969	12,882,665	20,331,838	6,267,477	5,158,516	1,788,310	57,240	..	92,047,015
1911	44,722,523	13,857,804	20,740,981	6,171,907	5,411,542	1,823,017	50,983	224,764	93,003,521
1912	38,855,861	11,892,224	20,310,036	5,481,489	4,596,958	1,852,669	75,808	188,641	83,253,686
1913	39,701,348	12,113,682	21,786,600	5,073,057	4,421,375	1,745,356	67,109	148,875	85,057,402
1914	*32,874,359	12,051,685	23,129,919	4,208,461	4,456,186	1,674,845	70,200	*134,679	78,600,334
1915	*32,498,046	10,545,632	15,950,154	3,674,547	4,803,850	1,624,450	57,827	*102,683	69,257,189
1916	*36,086,241	12,576,587	15,524,293	*5,091,282	5,529,960	1,702,579	47,520	*110,142	76,668,604
1917	*38,482,463	14,760,013	17,204,268	*6,229,519	6,384,191	1,711,116	54,709	*138,731	84,965,012
1918	*37,243,770	15,773,902	18,220,985	*6,625,184	7,183,747	1,841,924	58,620	*138,104	87,086,236

CATTLE.

1909	3,027,727	1,549,640	4,711,782	344,034	793,217	199,945	414,046	..	11,040,391
1910	3,140,307	1,547,569	5,131,699	384,862	825,040	201,854	513,383	..	11,744,714
1911	3,185,824	1,647,127	5,073,201	393,566	843,638	217,406	459,780	8,412	11,828,954
1912	3,033,726	1,508,089	5,210,891	383,418	806,294	222,181	405,552	7,108	11,577,259
1913	2,815,113	1,528,553	5,322,033	352,905	834,263	205,743	417,643	7,627	11,483,882
1914	*2,472,631	1,362,542	5,455,943	300,579	863,835	176,524	414,558	*4,961	11,051,573
1915	*2,400,104	1,043,604	4,780,893	226,565	821,048	169,575	483,961	*5,666	9,931,416
1916	*2,757,713	1,175,098	4,765,657	*288,887	863,930	179,360	420,362	*8,230	10,459,237
1917	*3,148,309	1,371,049	5,316,558	*313,245	927,086	197,938	541,545	*13,408	11,829,135
1918	*3,271,782	1,596,544	5,786,744	*342,768	943,847	218,234	570,039	*8,894	12,738,852

HORSES.

1909	604,784	442,829	555,613	230,405	125,315	40,492	23,479	..	2,022,917
1910	650,636	472,080	593,813	249,326	134,114	41,388	24,509	..	2,165,866
1911	687,242	507,813	618,954	259,719	140,277	41,853	21,407	1,762	2,279,027
1912	714,952	530,494	674,573	276,539	147,629	44,039	18,382	1,505	2,408,113
1913	744,458	562,331	707,265	283,641	156,636	43,941	22,792	1,712	2,522,776
1914	*731,735	552,053	742,159	267,877	161,625	42,232	21,985	*1,606	2,521,272
1915	*718,232	493,779	686,871	253,333	163,016	41,422	19,957	*1,310	2,377,920
1916	*732,334	514,403	697,517	*257,422	169,730	42,620	21,674	*1,457	2,437,157
1917	*740,806	514,061	733,014	*262,840	178,151	42,396	26,231	*1,441	2,498,940
1918	*721,302	523,788	759,726	*269,255	180,094	41,221	31,436	*1,421	2,528,243

* Part of New South Wales prior to 1911. [†] As at 30th June year following.

§ As at 1st March year following.

31st Dec.	N.S.W.	Victoria. §	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas. \$	N. Ter.	Fed. Ter.*	C'wealth.
PIGS.									
1909 ..	237,849	217,921	124,803	80,410	47,062	55,705	1,387	..	765,137
1910 ..	321,632	333,281	152,212	96,386	57,628	63,715	996	..	1,025,850
1911 ..	370,700	348,069	173,902	93,130	55,635	67,392	1,500	393	1,110,721
1912 ..	293,450	240,072	143,695	69,832	47,351	49,152	1,500	203	845,255
1913 ..	287,896	221,277	140,045	64,119	47,966	37,990	1,018	194	800,505
1914 ..	†286,478	243,196	166,638	69,893	59,816	34,960	1,240	†226	862,447
1915 ..	†280,869	192,002	117,787	66,237	58,231	37,778	500	†289	753,693
1916 ..	†359,504	254,436	129,733	†118,542	90,756	53,033	500	†259	1,006,763
1917 ..	†395,639	323,159	172,699	†110,353	111,844	54,653	500	†518	1,169,365
1918 ..	†294,338	267,819	140,966	†79,078	85,863	44,328	1,200	†310	913,902

* Part New South Wales prior to 1911. † As at 30th June year following.

§ As at 1st March year following.

WOOL (AS IN THE GREASE) PRODUCED—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, SEASONS 1910-11 TO 1918-19.

Season ended 30th June.	N.S.W. *	Victoria.	Q'land. †	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania.	N. Ter.	C'wealth.
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1911 ..	415,338,000	101,803,644	139,250,802	63,613,781	23,984,453	11,338,540	400,000	761,729,220
1912 ..	371,546,000	110,463,041	142,382,269	60,056,470	30,833,837	10,726,593	400,000	728,408,210
1913 ..	326,804,000	88,762,612	136,878,270	56,691,036	26,849,981	12,416,014	450,000	648,851,913
1914 ..	357,985,000	106,833,690	154,183,114	55,014,048	26,625,787	10,092,564	400,000	711,134,203
1915 ..	318,935,000	95,406,867	155,478,740	38,848,978	24,562,110	9,103,030	400,000	642,734,725
1916 ..	262,045,000	82,330,198	130,783,277	33,969,975	31,887,888	9,212,203	350,000	550,578,541
1917 ..	270,525,000	94,845,024	102,220,125	35,050,865	34,199,682	10,441,978	350,000	547,632,674
1918 ..	284,188,000	105,424,682	87,425,558	46,339,339	39,701,357	10,284,316	330,000	572,693,252
1919 ..	305,613,000	126,647,061	113,777,272	55,947,108	45,317,271	10,279,998	330,000	657,911,710

* Including Federal Territory. † For year ended previous 31st December.

PRINCIPAL DAIRY PRODUCE—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, 1909-18.

Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	N.T.	Fed. Ter.*	C'wealth.
BUTTER.									
	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1909 ..	62,865,608	55,166,555	24,592,711	8,482,168	414,453	2,751,757	..	..	154,273,252
1910 ..	76,624,830	70,603,787	31,258,333	10,717,486	641,491	3,365,982	..	..	193,211,909
1911 ..	83,176,938	86,500,474	27,858,535	9,694,666	498,047	3,817,455	..	27,630	211,573,745
1912 ..	76,592,967	67,655,834	30,307,339	8,394,557	448,799	3,778,104	..	16,561	187,194,161
1913 ..	77,766,703	73,381,567	35,199,387	8,036,274	518,566	3,843,247	..	12,494	198,758,238
1914 ..	†84,126,893	62,421,288	37,230,240	6,252,961	451,112	3,480,531	..	†7,387	193,970,412
1915 ..	†59,623,885	42,345,113	25,456,714	6,317,613	716,408	3,204,922	..	†7,658	137,672,313
1916 ..	†79,355,639	†59,568,771	28,967,279	†9,798,142	1,080,466	3,691,649	..	†8,832	182,470,778
1917 ..	†80,460,225	†64,405,711	38,930,690	†10,482,895	1,361,484	4,848,227	..	†7,782	200,497,014
1918 ..	†65,991,738	†66,240,403	32,371,575	†10,444,789	1,789,390	4,947,560	..	†17,220	181,802,675

CHEESE.

	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1909 ..	4,775,268	5,025,834	3,662,497	1,578,378	1,570	731,290	..	..	15,774,837
1910 ..	5,191,089	4,530,893	4,146,661	1,796,281	3,306	868,781	..	..	16,537,011
1911 ..	5,460,652	4,549,843	3,718,257	1,526,930	900	630,130	..	..	15,886,712
1912 ..	5,454,685	4,176,773	3,947,615	1,958,027	..	623,386	..	..	16,160,491
1913 ..	6,620,648	4,856,321	5,395,050	2,216,985	..	634,411	..	..	19,743,415
1914 ..	†6,356,627	4,395,502	7,931,869	2,000,547	1,675	554,191	..	..	21,240,411
1915 ..	†5,979,636	3,497,278	4,383,410	1,412,692	835	555,375	..	..	15,829,226
1916 ..	†7,830,239	†5,869,562	8,495,825	†2,476,081	665	736,500	..	..	23,408,872
1917 ..	†7,799,676	†5,285,003	11,142,114	†2,449,716	100	754,196	..	..	27,430,805
1918 ..	†5,982,120	†6,055,964	8,636,700	†2,412,388	200	702,868	..	..	23,790,240

BACON AND HAMS.

	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1909 ..	9,931,377	13,620,485	9,228,317	3,348,050	120,623	1,526,115	..	..	37,774,967
1910 ..	12,620,067	16,438,837	10,758,963	3,741,942	121,154	1,468,789	..	..	45,149,752
1911 ..	16,080,157	19,546,772	11,667,654	4,311,497	97,136	1,538,766	..	22,670	53,284,652
1912 ..	16,511,180	20,043,706	12,437,019	3,771,064	114,950	1,299,060	..	15,196	54,192,175
1913 ..	15,180,378	19,289,258	13,709,716	3,265,773	100,143	1,116,535	..	11,885	52,673,688
1914 ..	†15,323,528	18,774,497	13,339,131	3,409,372	112,421	1,612,433	..	†3,520	52,574,902
1915 ..	†13,569,022	13,659,974	12,363,939	2,432,485	202,824	895,020	..	†7,619	43,130,883
1916 ..	†15,779,369	†18,115,028	10,427,649	†3,993,137	†2,058,027	992,779	..	†8,787	51,374,776
1917 ..	†18,544,053	†21,311,876	14,791,540	†6,591,064	†3,362,604	1,298,819	..	†11,091	64,911,047
1918 ..	†16,801,370	†22,202,605	16,476,480	†6,567,394	†2,813,650	1,309,633	..	†296	66,171,428

* Part of New South Wales prior to 1911. † Year ending 30th June year following. § Including Bacon and Ham cured in Western Australia, from animals slaughtered in other States.

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL MINERALS PRODUCED—STATES AND COMMONWEALTH, 1909-18.

Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania.	N. Ter.	C'wealth.
GOLD.								
1910	802,211	2,422,745	1,874,955	28,000	6,246,848	157,370	25,521	11,557,650
1911	769,353	2,140,855	1,640,323	15,000	5,823,075	132,108	30,910	10,551,624
1912	702,129	2,039,464	1,477,979	28,000	5,448,385	161,300	22,671	9,879,928
1913	635,703	1,847,475	1,128,768	27,800	5,581,701	141,876	13,250	9,376,573
1914	528,873	1,755,236	1,059,674	26,581	5,237,333	111,475	9,734	8,728,946
1915	562,819	1,397,793	1,060,703	25,830	5,140,228	78,784	*3,781	8,269,938
1916	459,370	1,090,194	913,951	33,000	4,508,532	67,072	†3,861	7,075,980
1917	349,038	857,500	761,639	30,334	4,121,645	61,577	†3,677	6,185,410
1918	369,743	674,655	567,371	26,252	3,723,183	44,724	†2,229	5,408,157
1919	279,666	575,260	513,486	27,610	3,118,115	46,725	†3,521	4,573,383
1920 (6 months)	99,509	315,200	214,136	14,867	1,263,198	17,288	†	1,924,198

SILVER AND LEAD.

1909	1,839,688	3,197	167,636	673	19,977	298,880	..	2,330,051
1910	2,110,040	3,100	123,086	907	20,210	247,576	..	2,504,919
1911	2,652,548	3,028	79,765	140	23,335	253,361	..	3,022,177
1912	3,745,796	3,184	121,855	326	41,995	309,098	820	4,223,074
1913	4,173,867	2,954	134,121	1,400	82,422	319,997	2,228	4,716,989
1914	3,611,369	2,188	38,640	529	69,512	96,225	545	3,819,008
1915	3,321,101	1,771	34,610	902	63,629	91,689	*5	3,513,707
1916	4,084,623	3,338	50,588	5,173	109,221	153,796	†1,068	4,407,807
1917	5,110,096	1,406	55,181	12,351	178,872	152,122	†275	5,510,303
1918	5,739,509	1,319	36,645	10,492	189,636	127,176	†200	6,104,977

COPPER.

1909	424,737	44	853,196	338,587	104,641	608,038	3,742	2,332,985
1910	486,257	450	932,489	306,120	95,928	566,972	1,196	2,389,412
1911	590,102	2,088	1,151,351	332,500	78,118	408,649	1,470	2,564,278
1912	579,791	..	1,698,280	461,500	59,824	440,444	3,998	3,243,837
1913	598,733	2,829	1,660,178	488,986	142,363	375,664	482	3,269,235
1914	274,671	..	1,118,648	417,487	38,174	496,041	4,860	2,349,881
1915	234,437	..	1,428,793	561,247	91,169	709,534	*7,000	3,032,180
1916	586,127	..	2,265,422	822,527	64,833	886,454	†8,162	4,633,525
1917	814,154	..	2,208,232	902,495	85,738	847,754	†5,517	4,863,890
1918	696,580	..	2,087,751	828,556	66,146	776,106	†9,648	4,464,787

TIN.

1909	211,029	7,067	244,927	..	62,989	418,165	32,741	976,918
1910	228,156	3,706	243,271	..	45,129	399,393	31,113	950,768
1911	307,089	3,417	307,847	..	55,220	513,500	22,900	1,209,973
1912	338,074	5,733	364,503	..	79,738	543,103	27,001	1,358,152
1913	421,292	6,980	343,669	..	72,142	531,983	25,526	1,401,592
1914	267,130	4,955	176,197	..	35,649	259,300	15,200	758,431
1915	266,780	9,447	183,472	..	41,391	292,306	*5,545	798,941
1916	306,497	12,955	181,401	..	49,101	350,852	†14,700	915,506
1917	373,696	19,709	160,600	..	45,288	427,917	†27,120	1,054,330
1918	548,876	24,481	251,755	..	76,952	488,798	†41,432	1,432,294

COAL.

1909	2,618,596	76,945	270,726	..	90,965	26,464	..	3,083,696
1910	3,009,657	189,254	322,822	..	113,699	48,609	..	3,684,041
1911	3,167,165	301,142	323,998	..	111,154	26,214	..	3,929,673
1912	3,660,015	259,321	338,264	..	135,857	24,568	..	4,418,025
1913	3,770,375	274,940	403,767	..	153,614	25,367	..	4,628,063
1914	3,737,761	289,099	416,292	..	148,684	27,853	..	4,619,689
1915	3,424,630	275,343	409,342	..	137,859	30,418	..	4,277,592
1916	3,336,419	216,875	389,348	..	147,823	27,736	..	4,118,201
1917	4,422,740	345,830	597,360	..	191,822	38,673	..	5,596,425
1918	4,941,807	367,640	572,305	..	204,319	37,676	..	6,123,747

ALL MINERALS.

1909	7,397,499	2,876,660	3,656,564	416,741	7,055,484	1,561,460	71,696	23,036,104
1910	8,446,654	2,630,711	3,710,222	415,842	6,522,163	1,432,193	64,516	23,222,301
1911	9,404,870	2,464,758	3,661,063	449,868	6,105,446	1,348,797	59,353	23,494,155
1912	11,221,586	2,322,278	4,175,355	595,520	5,768,563	1,493,502	57,820	25,644,624
1913	11,641,414	2,172,378	3,857,881	642,386	6,036,098	1,415,700	44,626	25,810,483
1914	10,035,439	2,086,831	2,976,280	600,355	5,534,274	1,007,038	34,814	22,275,031
1915	9,641,611	1,737,679	3,324,861	1,001,885	5,478,149	1,225,575	17,917	22,427,677
1916	10,513,184	1,404,180	4,021,007	1,212,874	4,893,417	1,521,050	40,661	23,606,373
1917	12,544,565	1,294,240	4,912,977	1,460,674	4,629,027	1,582,322	56,903	25,580,708
1918	13,904,573	1,102,652	3,740,925	1,451,498	4,265,577	1,597,694	92,730	26,155,649

* First 6 months of year.

† Year ended 30th June.

‡ Not yet available.

ESTIMATED VALUE OF AUSTRALIAN PRODUCTION, 1909-18.

Year.	Agricultural.	Pastoral.	Dairy, Poultry, and Bee Farming.	Forestry and Fisheries.	Mining.	Manufacturing.*	Total.
	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.
1909	41,056	50,864	15,064	4,462	23,036	39,713	174,195
1910	39,752	56,993	17,387	4,789	23,222	45,598	187,741
1911	38,774	50,725	19,107	5,728	23,494	50,767	188,595
1912	45,754	51,615	20,280	6,432	25,645	57,022	206,748
1913	46,162	57,866	20,341	6,338	25,811	61,586	218,104
1914	36,052	60,265	21,562	6,419	22,275	62,922	209,495
1915	73,769	65,607	21,156	5,777	22,428	62,883	251,620
1916	60,207	89,940	26,949	5,505	23,606	64,205	270,412
1917	57,967	93,395	31,326	5,523	25,591	69,807	283,609
1918	58,080	98,297	33,738	7,137	26,156	75,261	298,669

* These amounts differ from those given in the following tables, owing to certain products which are there included having been included in Dairy Farming and Forestry in this Table.

MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES IN THE COMMONWEALTH, 1909-18.

Year.	No. of Establishments.	Hands Employed.	Salaries and Wages Paid.*	Value of Plant, Machinery, Land and Buildings.	Value of Materials Used.	Value added by Manufacture.	Value of Output.
1909	13,229	266,661	21,111,656	54,629,357	64,028,881	41,929,447	105,958,328
1910	13,850	286,928	23,866,161	58,601,694	72,759,261	48,100,897	120,860,158
1911	14,455	311,710	27,531,876	64,2,3,633	79,004,376	54,017,714	133,022,090
1912	14,878	327,456	31,287,492	69,337,768	88,275,620	60,499,787	148,775,407
1913	15,536	337,101	33,606,087	74,153,534	96,407,477	65,153,286	161,560,763
1914	15,428	331,728	34,103,703	80,506,821	99,789,064	66,661,444	166,450,508
1915†	15,092	321,071	33,210,654	81,492,417	102,776,082	66,310,618	169,086,700
1916†	15,010	316,752	33,828,840	84,919,501	105,180,445	67,394,400	172,574,845
1917†	15,179	321,670	36,618,218	90,528,300	132,283,096	74,093,550	206,376,646
1918†	15,421	328,049	38,379,268	96,588,009	146,181,866	79,571,745	225,753,611

* Exclusive of amounts drawn by working proprietors.

† See notes § and || following table.

MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES—COMPARISON OF PROGRESS IN FACTORIES IN THE SEVERAL STATES OF THE COMMONWEALTH, 1916-1918.

Particulars.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	C'wealth.
1916. \$							
1. Factories .. No.	5,210	5,413	1,782	1,266	771	568	15,010
2. Hands employed* .. "	116,401	113,834	39,983	25,496	12,676	8,362	316,752
3. Wages paid† .. £	13,413,845	11,036,345	4,181,254	2,705,130	1,656,799	835,467	33,828,840
4. Value of fuel used .. "	1,528,220	834,966	310,454	399,731	193,523	116,704	3,383,598
5. " materials used .. "	44,227,079	30,728,743	16,127,926	8,720,436	3,033,638	2,342,623	105,180,445
6. " added in process of manufacture .. "	26,762,785	20,737,350	9,413,098	5,273,787	2,973,473	2,233,907	67,394,400
7. " of output of fctrs. .. "	70,989,864	51,466,993	23,541,024	13,994,233	6,007,111	4,576,530	172,574,845
8. " land & buildings .. "	17,770,517	11,460,123	5,014,824	3,289,628	2,247,505	1,130,602	40,913,199
9. " plant & mchnry. .. "	18,211,104	11,068,949	7,543,873	3,101,413	2,817,863	1,263,100	44,006,302
1917. ||							
1. Factories .. No.	5,356	5,445	1,793	1,286	759	540	15,179
2. Hands employed* .. "	117,997	116,970	40,446	26,010	12,168	8,079	321,670
3. Wages paid† .. £	14,381,309	11,833,517	4,879,940	3,094,094	1,590,696	838,662	36,618,218
4. Value of fuel used .. "	1,736,664	1,024,156	415,052	558,524	198,000	92,544	4,054,940
5. " materials used .. "	57,044,667	37,103,750	20,938,266	11,331,814	3,323,424	2,541,175	132,283,096
6. " added in process of manufacture .. "	28,899,653	22,943,534	11,031,036	6,060,538	2,931,964	2,226,825	74,093,550
7. " of output of fctrs. .. "	85,944,320	60,047,284	31,969,302	17,392,332	6,255,388	4,768,000	206,376,646
8. " land & buildings .. "	18,920,057	12,052,227	5,251,877	3,462,296	2,398,264	1,127,716	43,212,437
9. " plant & mchnry. .. "	20,364,122	11,732,062	7,846,834	3,313,113	2,835,085	1,224,647	47,315,863
1918. ||							
1. Factories .. No.	5,414	5,627	1,778	1,285	764	553	15,421
2. Hands employed* .. "	120,554	118,241	40,990	26,634	12,917	8,713	328,049
3. Wages paid† .. £	14,701,255	12,502,601	5,121,188	3,359,334	1,730,896	963,974	38,379,268
4. Value of fuel used .. "	2,060,076	1,248,186	424,099	683,187	211,950	105,392	4,732,890
5. " materials used .. "	64,718,726	42,133,636	19,693,043	12,442,803	3,963,470	3,230,188	146,181,866
6. " added in process of manufacture .. "	31,459,465	24,933,079	10,866,796	6,818,339	3,040,035	2,454,031	79,571,745
7. " of output of fctrs. .. "	96,178,191	67,066,715	30,559,839	19,261,142	7,003,505	5,684,219	225,753,611
8. " land & buildings .. "	20,533,171	12,847,485	5,519,316	3,564,366	2,487,967	843,399	45,795,704
9. " plant & mchnry. .. "	21,739,739	12,612,797	8,391,480	3,389,719	2,742,386	1,916,184	50,792,305

* Including working proprietors. † Exclusive of amount drawn by working proprietors.

§ New South Wales for year ended 30th June, 1916, Victoria and South Australia for calendar year 1915.

|| New South Wales, Victoria, and South Australia for year ended 30th June.

**MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES—VALUE ADDED BY PROCESSES
OF MANUFACTURE—COMMONWEALTH, 1915-18.**

	1915. *	1916. †	1917. †	1918. †
Treating raw materials, product of agricultural and pastoral, etc., pursuits ..	£ 2,256,225	£ 2,652,852	£ 2,947,519	£ 3,867,253
Treating oils and fats ..	795,721	860,535	948,581	1,366,219
Processes in stone, clay, glass, etc. ..	2,870,186	2,760,853	2,597,475	2,892,919
Working in wood ..	4,504,536	4,023,294	4,205,562	4,961,380
Metal works, machinery, etc. ..	15,067,974	16,141,585	16,422,851	17,090,920
Connected with food and drink, etc. ..	14,877,081	14,424,325	18,135,596	18,396,327
Clothing and textile fabrics, etc. ..	8,744,907	9,114,887	10,045,510	10,671,416
Books, paper, printing and engraving ..	4,790,263	5,036,245	5,363,183	5,740,863
Musical instruments, etc. ..	95,864	97,882	130,291	157,017
Arms and explosives ..	310,070	496,842	610,946	464,857
Vehicles & fittings, saddlery, harness, etc. ..	1,870,653	1,890,041	1,937,369	2,112,032
Ship and boat building and repairing ..	1,038,423	862,557	864,778	818,057
Furniture, bedding, and upholstery ..	1,378,311	1,362,753	1,402,815	1,627,932
Drugs, chemicals, and by-products ..	1,416,617	1,479,085	1,568,190	1,958,153
Surgical and other scientific instruments ..	49,500	54,398	70,082	84,625
Jewellery, timepieces, and platedware ..	347,846	355,614	375,692	407,897
Heat, light, and power ..	5,050,934	4,879,372	5,462,016	5,849,668
Leatherware, n.e.i. ..	231,207	241,704	252,175	293,230
Minor Wares, n.e.i. ..	614,300	659,576	752,919	810,980
	66,310,618	67,394,400	74,093,550	79,571,745

* The New South Wales figures are for the year ended 30th June, 1915.

† See note § and || previous table.

MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES.—Proportion per cent. that Each of the Items of Outlay bore to the Value of Final Output.—States and Commonwealth, 1918.

Particulars.	N.S.W. †	Victoria. †	Q'land.	S. Aust. †	W. Aust.	Tas.	C'wealth.
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
Wages* ..	15.29	18.64	16.76	17.44	24.71	16.96	17.00
Fuel ..	2.14	1.86	1.39	3.55	3.03	1.85	2.10
Materials used ..	67.29	62.83	64.44	64.60	56.59	56.83	64.75
Margin for profits and miscellaneous expenses & charges	15.28	16.67	17.41	14.41	15.67	24.36	16.15
Total Output	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00	100.00

* Exclusive of amount drawn by working proprietors.

† For year ended 30th June, 1918.

MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES.—Average Amount of Salaries and Wages paid per Employee*, 1909 to 1918.

Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	C'wealth.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1909 ..	87.27	73.57	82.09	83.08	122.08	86.44	82.97
1910 ..	90.83	78.18	86.79	90.44	123.93	78.81	87.06
1911 ..	96.35	83.48	87.15	99.64	129.80	84.47	92.25
1912 ..	14.44	91.19	93.88	105.63	136.65	90.41	99.74
1913 ..	109.66	94.74	100.05	111.66	132.31	95.18	104.14
1914 ..	112.94	98.50	100.91	115.31	137.30	98.82	107.36
1915 ..	112.94	101.75	104.21	111.54	127.31	97.82	108.00
1916 ..	119.29	101.75	108.13	111.54	136.29	104.88	111.35
1917 ..	126.16	105.87	125.28	124.57	136.22	108.97	118.54
1918 ..	126.18	110.77	129.45	131.94	138.55	115.57	121.75

* Exclusive of working proprietors.

† For calendar year 1915.

‡ For year ended 30th June, 1915.

|| For year ended 30th June.

MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES.—Average Number of Males and Females Employed, 1918.

	N.S.W. †	Victoria. †	Q'land.	S. Aust. †	W. Aust.	Tasmania.	C'wealth.
Males ..	90,025	76,654	33,597	21,325	10,497	7,356	239,454
Females ..	30,529	41,587	7,393	5,309	2,420	1,357	88,595
Masculinity*	49.4	29.7	63.9	60.1	62.5	68.9	46.00

* Excess of Males over Females per 100 of both sexes combined.

† For year ended 30th June, 1918.

STATEMENT SHOWING THE AMOUNT OF BOUNTIES PAID DURING THE YEARS 1914-15 TO 1918-19, TOGETHER WITH THE QUANTITIES AFFECTED FOR LAST THREE YEARS.

	BOUNTY PAID.		1917-18.		1918-19.		1919-20.	
	1915-16.	1916-17.	Quantity on which Bounty was paid.	Bounty paid.	Quantity on which Bounty was paid.	Bounty paid.	Quantity on which Bounty was paid.	Bounty paid.
BOUNTIES ACT—	£	£		£		£		£
Combed Wool Tops..	5,828	..	lb. ..	..	..	..	..	..
Flax and Hemp Fibre	635	267	ton ..	..	..	..	..	..
Sisal Hemp ..	2	..	lb. 10,304	19	..	..	..	..
Coffee ..	3	..	,, ..	..	..	..	..	..
Oil Materials—								
Cotton Seed ..	10	..	,, ..	..	..	..	..	..
Linseed ..	..	..	,, ..	..	..	..	..	..
Cotton, Ginned ..	22	..	,, ..	..	..	..	..	..
Tobacco Leaf ..	145	488	,, 1,577	13	..	..	..	..
Fruits, Dried ..	16	2,063	,, 131,432	342	..	..	..	..
Fish, Preserved ..	106	177	,, 16,896	35	..	..	..	..
SHALE OIL BOUNTIES ACT—								
Kerosene ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Refined Paraffin Wax ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Crude Shale Oil ..	..	..	gal. 1,600,904	15,008	2,816,718	26,407	1,737,845	16,292
MANUFACTURES ENCOURAGEMENT ACT—								
Puddled Bar Iron ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Pig Iron ..	..	11,454	ton ..	..	..	..	..	..
Wire Netting ..	..	..	,, ..	..	..	..	..	..
Galvanized Sheet or Plate ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
Steel ..	..	..	,, ..	..	..	..	..	..
IRON BOUNTY ACT—								
Pig Iron ..	..	24,465	..	..	..	..	..	..
APPLE BOUNTY ACT—								
Evaporated Apples ..	..	..	lb. ..	..	1,388,577	4,054	..	..
TOTAL ..	31,232	14,449	..	15,417	..	30,461	..	16,292

Section III.—Shipping and Commerce.

SHIPPING.—NET TONNAGE ENTERED AND CLEARED.

Year.	Tonnage Entered.			Tonnage Cleared.		
	With Cargo.	In Ballast.	Total.	With Cargo.	In Ballast.	Total.
1906 ..	2,767,280	1,238,865	4,006,145	3,855,193	105,320	3,960,513
1907 ..	2,828,786	1,643,280	4,472,066	4,154,783	196,017	4,350,800
1908 ..	3,046,051	1,249,628	4,295,679	4,061,927	223,545	4,285,472
1909 ..	3,219,498	1,141,696	4,361,194	3,953,578	201,979	4,155,557
1910 ..	3,604,554	1,003,263	4,607,820	4,535,642	189,684	4,725,326
1911 ..	3,914,784	1,078,436	4,993,220	4,869,013	122,568	4,991,581
1912 ..	4,281,702	881,655	5,163,357	5,019,509	92,448	5,111,957
1913 ..	4,369,455	1,002,076	5,371,531	5,125,766	104,651	5,230,417
1914 ..	4,166,193	1,109,469	5,275,662	5,304,459	152,733	5,457,192
1914-15 ..	3,603,742	571,213	4,174,955	4,077,588	346,715	4,424,303
1915-16 ..	3,624,740	644,744	4,269,484	3,900,059	368,779	4,268,838
1916-17 ..	2,979,524	871,768	3,851,292	3,648,900	194,250	3,843,150
1917-18 ..	2,000,775	455,982	2,456,757	2,487,456	87,537	2,574,993
1918-19 ..	2,220,159	1,018,901	3,239,060	2,824,741	116,685	2,941,426
1919-20 (9 months)	1,833,688	1,124,125	2,957,813	3,009,437	72,442	3,081,879

COMMERCE.—VALUE OF DIRECT OVERSEA IMPORTS.

States and Territories.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.	1918-19.	1919-20.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
N.S.W. ..	27,323,189	33,379,697	32,741,792	29,519,986	46,013,102	43,148,697
Victoria ..	21,050,310	26,761,922	25,474,839	21,113,588	35,026,311	33,782,164
Queensland ..	6,428,688	7,000,931	6,263,102	4,492,746	6,075,649	7,219,589
South Aust. ..	4,748,489	5,152,210	6,118,458	4,181,322	6,502,319	7,501,158
Western Aust.	3,986,198	4,169,109	4,386,118	2,505,271	8,083,852	4,959,825
Tasmania ..	811,255	982,849	1,161,595	489,249	608,786	813,342
Northern Terr.	83,708	74,424	82,775	32,287	25,140	32,124
C'wealth	64,431,837	77,521,142	76,228,679	62,334,449	102,335,159	97,456,899

VALUE OF DIRECT OVERSEA EXPORTS.*

N.S.W. ..	28,106,971	40,958,316	50,290,824	39,619,093	51,027,359	54,698,571
Victoria ..	12,349,662	14,748,730	19,030,146	20,716,688	28,095,159	42,953,749
Queensland ..	13,015,484	8,105,930	14,542,270	10,960,811	12,447,616	14,403,972
South Aust. ..	3,566,335	6,136,085	8,533,912	5,148,977	11,570,470	20,530,337
Western Aust.	3,120,798	4,196,188	4,645,568	3,763,610	9,444,021	13,698,623
Tasmania ..	420,007	612,119	899,511	951,623	1,002,093	2,000,403
Northern Terr.	13,319	20,953	13,251	268,419	377,258	278,868
C'wealth	60,592,576	74,778,321	97,955,482	81,429,221	113,963,976	148,564,523

* Goods destined for oversea countries are largely transferred from one State to another for transhipment to the oversea country. In this table such goods are shown against the State from which they were finally despatched from the Commonwealth. The exports from New South Wales and Victoria—the States in which transhipments are chiefly made—are thus inflated by the inclusion of goods consigned from other States. Owing to the discontinuance of the records of interstate trade from the 13th September, 1910, adjustment on account of transhipments can no longer be made. Taking the annual average of the transhipments recorded during the years 1907, 1908, and 1909, the New South Wales figures include exports of other States amounting to £3,036,672 net per annum, and Victoria £1,003,714, which were originally despatched as follows:—From Queensland, £1,376,484; South Australia, £1,018,592; Western Australia, £8,884; and Tasmania, £1,636,426.

TOTAL VALUE AND VALUE PER HEAD OF POPULATION OF THE EXTERNAL TRADE OF THE COMMONWEALTH, 1901-1919-20.

Year.	Value.						Value per Head.					
	Total Trade.		Imports.		Exports.		Total Trade.		Imports.		Exports.	
					Aust. Produce.	Other Produce.					Aust. Produce.	Other Produce.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
1901 ..	92,094,057	42,408,548*	47,741,776	1,943,733	49,685,509	24 5 11	11 3 9	12 11 11	0 10 3	13 2 2	10 13 9	11 8 3
1902 ..	84,593,460	40,678,238*	41,268,781	2,646,441	43,915,222	21 19 8	10 11 5	10 14 6	0 13 6	13 2 12	7 10	11 8 3
1903 ..	86,061,583	37,811,471*	45,658,883	2,591,229	48,250,112	22 2 1	9 14 3	11 14 7	7 0 13	13 2 12	4 1	11 8 3
1904 ..	94,506,757	37,020,842	55,100,167	2,385,748	57,485,915	23 19 4	9 7 3	13 19 19	6 0 12	14 11 7	17 13 2	11 8 3
1905 ..	95,187,766	38,346,731	54,127,758	2,712,277	56,841,035	23 15 10	9 11 0	4 16 6	7 0 16	11 17 7	13 6	14 1
1906 ..	114,482,675	44,741,912	66,299,874	3,437,889	69,737,763†	28 3 10	11 0	4 16 6	7 0 14	7 17 13	2	11 8 3
1907 ..	124,633,280	51,809,033	69,816,500	3,007,747	72,824,247†	30 4 5	12 11	3 16 18	7 0 14	7 17 13	2	11 8 3
1908 ..	114,110,331	49,799,273	62,116,903	2,192,155	64,311,058†	27 4 1	11 17 5	14 16 20	10 0	6 15 6	8	11 8 3
1909 ..	116,490,732	51,171,896	62,843,711	2,475,125	65,318,836†	27 5 0	11 19 5	14 14 0	0 0 11	7 15 5	7	11 8 3
1910 ..	134,505,501	60,014,351	71,836,195	2,654,955	74,491,150†	30 15 6	13 14	8 16 8	9 0 12	1 17 0	10	11 8 3
1911 ..	146,449,746	66,967,488	76,205,210	3,277,044	79,482,258†	32 12 4	14 18 3	16 19 6	0 0 14	7 17 14	1	11 8 3
1912 ..	157,254,690	78,158,600	75,961,563	3,134,527	79,096,090†	33 17 2	16 16 7	16 7 0	1 0 13	6 17 0	7	11 8 3
1913 ..	158,321,422	79,749,653	75,138,147	3,433,622	78,571,769†	32 19 2	16 12 0	15 12 10	0 0 14	4 16 7	2	11 8 3
1914 ..	77,707,584	39,777,497	36,265,764	1,664,323	37,930,087†	15 13 9	8 0 7	7 6 5	0 6 9	7 13 2	2	11 8 3
1914-15	125,024,413	64,431,837	58,122,573	2,470,003	60,592,576†	25 6 1	13 0	9 11 15	11 0 9	5 12 5	4	11 8 3
1915-16	152,299,463	77,521,142	71,792,525	2,985,796	74,778,321†	30 17 8	15 14 5	14 11 2	0 0 12	1 15 3	3	11 8 3
1916-17	174,184,161	76,228,679	95,039,973	2,915,509	97,955,482†	35 14 7	15 12 9	19 9 11 0	11 11 20	1 10	0	11 8 3
1917-18	143,763,670	62,334,449	78,448,915	2,989,306	81,429,221†	29 2 7	12 12 7	15 17 11	0 12 16	10 0	0	11 8 3
1918-19	216,299,135	102,335,159	106,026,801	7,937,175	113,963,976†	42 19 11	20 6	10 21 1	6 1 11	7 22 13	1	11 8 3
1919-20	246,021,422	97,456,899	143,386,431	5,178,092	148,564,523†	46 17 9	18 11	6 27 6	0 19 9	28 6	3	11 8 3

* Owing to the failure to record as Overseas Imports, goods received in one State of the Commonwealth for transhipment to another State thereof, it has been estimated that the value of imports given in this table is understated by the following amounts:—1901, £2,121,500; 1902, £1,546,924; 1903, £1,024,211. † Does not include the value of Stores shipped in Australian Ports on board overseas ships. The value of Ships' Stores was in 1906, £875,966; 1907, £998,897; 1908, £1,196,106; 1909, £1,071,677; 1910, £1,080,133; 1911, £1,238,446; in 1912, £1,431,985; in 1913, £1,458,702; in the first six months of 1914, £771,581; in 1914-15, £1,587,757; in 1915-16, £1,544,872; in 1916-17, £1,676,116; in 1917-18, £1,389,291; and in 1918-19, £1,765,367. § First six months only.

Year.	Imports.			Exports.			Excess of Exports.		
	Merchandise.		Specie and Bullion.	Exports.		Merchandise.	Merchandise.		Specie and Bullion.
			Total.	Merchandise.	Specie and Bullion.	Total.			Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901 ..	41,473,684	934,864	42,408,548	34,415,290	15,270,219	49,685,509	-7,058,394	14,335,355	7,276,961
1902 ..	39,219,059	1,459,179	40,678,238	28,547,729	15,367,493	43,915,222	-10,671,330	13,908,314	3,236,984
1903 ..	36,551,542	1,259,929	37,811,471*	29,126,154	19,123,958	48,250,112	-7,425,388	17,864,029	10,438,641
1904 ..	35,816,994	1,203,848	37,020,842	39,718,846	17,767,069	57,445,915	3,901,852	16,563,221	20,465,073
1905 ..	36,796,436	1,550,295	38,346,731	45,045,521	11,795,514	56,841,035	8,249,085	10,245,219	18,494,304
1906 ..	42,413,993	2,320,917	44,744,912	52,027,830	17,709,933	69,737,763	9,613,835	15,379,016	24,992,851
1907 ..	49,974,833	1,834,200	51,809,033	61,636,787	11,187,460	72,824,247	11,661,954	9,353,260	21,015,214
1908 ..	48,608,921	1,190,352	49,799,273	50,120,838	14,190,220	64,311,058	1,511,917	12,999,868	14,511,785
1909 ..	50,115,521	1,056,375	51,171,896	56,638,552	8,680,284	65,318,836	6,523,031	7,622,909	14,146,940
1910 ..	58,682,391	1,331,980	60,014,351	69,855,873	4,635,277	74,491,150	11,173,482	3,303,317	14,476,799
1911 ..	64,997,907	1,969,581	66,967,488	77,435,172	12,047,086	79,482,258	2,437,265	10,077,505	12,514,770
1912 ..	76,483,360	1,675,240	78,158,600	66,634,490	12,461,600	79,096,090	-9,848,870	10,786,360	937,490
1913 ..	78,196,109	1,553,544	79,749,653	74,773,034	3,798,735	78,571,769	-3,423,075	2,245,191	-1,177,884
1914 ..	38,911,464	866,033	39,777,497	36,317,810	1,612,277	37,930,087	-2,593,654	746,244	-1,847,410
1914-15	63,563,781	868,056	64,431,837	57,684,910	2,907,666	60,592,576	-5,878,871	2,039,610	-3,839,261
1915-16	76,749,899	780,243	77,521,142	64,020,233	10,758,088	74,778,321	-12,720,663	9,977,845	-2,742,821
1916-17	75,954,890	273,789	76,228,679	85,939,977	12,015,505	97,955,482	9,985,087	11,741,716	21,726,803
1917-18	60,681,924	1,652,525	62,334,449	74,039,305	7,389,916	81,429,221	13,357,381	5,737,391	19,094,772
1918-19	95,264,120	7,071,039	102,335,159	104,773,773	9,190,203	113,963,976	9,509,653	2,119,164	11,628,817
1919-20	97,405,500	51,399	97,456,899	143,171,747	5,392,776	148,564,523	45,768,053	5,341,377	51,107,624

* First six months only.

CUSTOMS AND EXCISE REVENUE.

STATEMENT showing the Gross Revenue from Customs and Excise, under the Sixteen Tariff Divisions, and the Total Net Revenue collected, during the June Quarter of 1919 and 1920, during the years 1918 and 1919, and during the financial years 1918-19 and 1919-20.

Compiled from information supplied by the Department of Trade and Customs.
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Division.	June Quarter.		Year.		Financial Year.	
	1919.	1920.	1918.	1919.	1918-19.	1919-20.
CUSTOMS.						
1. Ales, Spirits, and Beverages	602,629	228,618	1,496,415	1,615,192	1,457,030	1,884,001
2. Tobacco, and Manufactures thereof	360,481	416,682	1,443,424	1,752,981	1,515,549	1,893,939
3. Sugar	95,477	279	62,532	146,440	152,985	1,807
4. Agricultural Products and Groceries	161,144	191,078	600,206	595,843	544,334	749,553
5. Textiles, &c., and Attire ..	727,290	1,599,600	2,974,127	2,998,955	3,483,209	3,564,948
6. Metals and Machinery ..	545,444	757,397	1,172,527	2,031,970	1,656,194	2,261,317
7. Oils, Paints, and Varnishes	109,926	108,560	315,239	323,288	336,019	330,726
8. Earthenware, &c. ..	62,151	118,652	231,153	228,685	257,483	287,930
9. Drugs and Chemicals ..	63,783	115,374	193,259	244,061	229,096	303,630
10. Wood, Wicker, and Cane	59,810	90,718	202,720	225,549	212,832	285,797
11. Jewellery and Fancy Goods	85,703	158,908	301,931	345,351	345,541	423,202
12. Leather and Rubber ..	156,659	173,783	384,901	537,261	480,078	606,578
13. Paper and Stationery ..	167,975	160,777	363,779	513,441	519,380	480,710
14. Vehicles	104,330	249,644	342,314	410,939	340,150	642,227
15. Musical Instruments	40,701	51,056	101,407	141,534	114,533	146,169
16. Miscellaneous	110,247	180,459	364,443	428,569	439,798	500,202
Other Miscellaneous Receipts	15,966	11,066	41,838	50,552	48,428	48,632
 Total Customs ..	3,469,716	4,612,651	10,592,215	12,590,611	12,132,639	14,411,368
EXCISE.						
Beer	742,159	905,034	2,211,428	3,352,121	2,875,820	3,724,761
Spirits	456,236	328,368	898,001	1,327,649	1,101,944	1,609,749
Tobacco, Cigars, Cigarettes, and Snuff	488,889	641,323	1,441,274	2,295,887	1,845,445	2,545,654
Licences, &c.	30	23	10,529	14,179	12,711	12,617
 Total Excise ..	1,687,314	1,874,748	4,561,232	6,989,836	5,835,920	7,892,781
 Total Gross Customs and Excise Collection ..	5,157,030	6,487,399	15,153,447	19,580,447	17,968,559	22,304,149
 Drawbacks and Repayments	132,684	204,461	547,071	608,252	542,151	729,872
 TOTAL NET REVENUE ..	5,024,346	6,282,938	14,606,376	18,972,195	17,426,408	21,574,277

STATEMENT SHOWING THE IMPORTS INTO THE COMMONWEALTH OF THE
 undermentioned Goods, the Produce or Manufacture of United Kingdom, Other
 British Countries, Japan, and United States of America during the first nine months
 of the financial Year 1919-20.

Class.	United Kingdom.	Other British Countries.	Japan.	U.S. America.	Total all Countries.
Foodstuffs of animal origin but excluding live animals	192,102	237,242	7,687	358,853	1,063,330
Foodstuffs of vegetable origin	189,627	742,251	81,522	153,679	3,384,476
Beverages (non-alcoholic) and substances used in making	156,813	1,714,388	12,146	34,194	3,339,536
Spirituos and alcoholic liquors	541,709	11,354	635	1,321	745,616
Tobacco and preparations thereof	59,961	7,032	293	893,404	1,072,248
Live animals	41,366	42,698	..	3,495	87,650
Animal substances (mainly unmanufactured) not foodstuffs	417,175	436,816	1,560	17,018	965,446
Vegetable substances and fibres	149,633	1,101,923	104,393	150,481	2,179,765
Apparel, textiles and manufactured fibres	8,467,518	2,165,944	1,652,802	2,120,378	15,424,906
Oils, fats, and waxes	107,845	239,877	43,806	1,523,326	3,506,824
Paints and Varnishes	196,117	8,978	961	120,050	335,013
Stones and metals used industrially	16,981	39,684	469	25,069	124,166
Ores and metals unmanufactured or partly manufactured	449,965	33,623	786	220,331	720,278
Machines and machinery and other manufactures of metal	7,626,105	766,213	94,875	6,435,279	15,287,949
Indiarubber and indiarubber manufactures, leather and manufactures of leather and substances therefor	271,494	307,619	4,277	784,838	1,509,780
Wood and wicker, raw and manufactured	84,683	569,288	160,718	857,873	1,947,738
Earthenware, cements, china, glass, and stoneware	322,548	2,964	200,607	207,311	755,124
Paper and stationery	811,358	473,541	47,672	1,083,402	2,942,940
Jewellery, timepieces, and fancy goods	382,430	219,502	81,771	190,244	1,146,444
Optical, surgical, and scientific instruments	190,522	3,792	7,874	439,237	648,615
Drugs, chemicals, and fertilizers	857,819	270,459	82,747	602,633	2,398,365
Miscellaneous	1,131,924	294,130	183,232	874,872	2,651,201
Gold and silver; and bronze specie	977	46,063	..	2,041	50,088
Total	22,666,672	9,735,381	2,770,833	17,099,329	62,287,498

PRINCIPAL AGRICULTURAL, PASTORAL, AND DAIRY PRODUCE OF AUSTRALIAN ORIGIN EXPORTED FROM THE COMMONWEALTH, 1910-1919-20.

Year.	Butter.	Flour.	Wheat.	Wool.		Mutton and Lamb.	Beef.
				Greasy.	Scoured.		
QUANTITY.							
1910 ..	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.	Centals.
1910 ..	878,949	2,798,918	28,657,137	5,870,905	781,783	1,902,293	1,094,275
1911 ..	1,017,221	3,517,817	33,088,704	5,788,236	717,706	1,295,693	1,087,864
1912 ..	666,791	3,361,873	19,562,549	5,578,327	632,541	1,153,720	1,422,101
1913 ..	757,956	4,433,151	25,753,732	5,314,345	644,501	2,049,318	2,189,186
1914-15	540,215	1,070,271	2,526,356	4,439,538	649,493	1,932,639	2,920,665
1915-16	167,220	2,939,114	17,172,864	4,086,312	798,791	383,436	1,146,761
1916-17	748,786	5,812,656	33,167,323	3,332,137	566,868	669,128	2,420,817
1917-18	722,775	7,481,656	13,789,063	2,429,016	674,004	191,753	1,802,493
1918-19	411,148	9,667,900	26,738,158	4,580,337	1,091,360	596,875	1,199,895
1919-20	390,063	10,356,872	49,482,395	5,523,341	910,507	2,468,713	1,210,788

VALUE.

	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1910 ..	3,951,131	1,244,165	9,933,561	23,439,098	5,338,089	2,161,513	1,179,146
1911 ..	4,637,362	1,391,529	9,641,608	21,394,798	4,676,395	1,633,622	1,102,132
1912 ..	3,342,320	1,456,668	6,403,237	22,073,172	4,281,391	1,592,378	1,630,731
1913 ..	3,564,925	1,863,667	7,987,477	21,479,682	4,797,280	2,896,532	2,652,275
1914-15	2,659,030	509,389	859,027	17,476,637	4,625,545	3,413,848	4,990,054
1915-16	1,022,742	1,738,717	7,997,583	20,140,990	6,525,031	769,752	2,175,894
1916-17	5,301,273	3,463,363	13,374,511	21,892,125	6,613,498	1,540,572	4,947,070
1917-18	4,904,417	4,419,185	5,990,298	16,917,870	7,600,517	452,647	3,698,693
1918-19	3,193,086	5,818,824	11,334,655	31,479,990	11,286,765	1,298,431	2,472,786
1919-20	3,301,695	8,906,973	22,568,633	38,416,481	12,127,322	5,482,564	2,479,248

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES IMPORTED AND EXPORTED DURING THE MARCH QUARTER 1919 AND 1920, AND THE FIRST NINE MONTHS OF THE FINANCIAL YEARS 1918-19 AND 1919-20.

Compiled from information supplied by the Department of Trade and Customs.
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IMPORTS.

Article.	Period.			
	[March Quarter.		First Nine Months.	
	1919.	1920.	1918-19.	1919-20.
Class I.—Foodstuffs of Animal Origin, but excluding Living Animals.				
Fish—				
Preserved in Tins	36,858	438,005	189,393	734,711
All other	5,731	54,354	22,377	115,597
Meats—				
Preserved in Tins	3,622	9,373	16,595	14,262
All other, including Sausage Casings	27,709	65,951	89,312	141,187
Milk and Cream	13,039	18,289	24,432	41,104
All other Animal Foodstuffs	4,119	6,123	14,989	16,469
TOTAL, CLASS I. ..	91,078	592,095	357,098	1,063,330
Class II.—Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin.				
Caramel, Caramel Paste, Caramel Butter, and Cocoa Butter ..	31,754	31,006	79,353	41,536
Confectionery—				
Chocolate	13	275	710	2,687
Other	345	1,146	994	2,969
Fruits, Dried	4,417	113,824	44,221	214,187
Fruits, Fresh—				
Apples .. ..	..	..	85	..
Bananas	6,602	3,583	73,380	49,212
All other	124	17,991	179	18,649
Grain and Pulse—				
Unprepared	33,180	44,766	64,295	223,685
Prepared—Rice	13,262	59,419	80,425	194,623
All other	2,098	7,920	4,604	17,056
Hops	15,305	685	30,618	12,828
Mustard	12,990	22,873	28,497	58,660
Nuts, Edible	13,612	90,759	111,969	216,255
Pickles and Sauces	29,524	35,994	80,581	89,144
Sago and Tapioca	9,815	37,916	64,862	101,444
Spices	28,612	51,432	127,795	117,512
Sugar (Cane)	337,752	562,870	382,725	1,700,809
All other Vegetable Foodstuffs	44,870	126,590	157,698	323,220
TOTAL, CLASS II. ..	584,275	1,209,049	1,332,991	3,384,476
Class III.—Beverages (Non-alcoholic) and Substances used in making.				
Cocoa and Chocolate	111,318	209,260	316,048	495,335
Coffee and Chicory	2,830	37,830	77,536	71,644
Tea	194,586	1,494,044	1,817,748	2,759,227
All other Non-alcoholic Beverages	1,490	5,381	7,117	13,330
TOTAL, CLASS III. ..	310,224	1,746,515	2,218,449	3,339,536

VALUE OF THE PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC.—IMPORTS—*continued.*

Article.	Period.			
	March Quarter.		First Nine Months.	
	1919.	1920.	1918-19.	1919-20.
Class IV.—Spirituos and Alcoholic Liquors.				
Ale, Beer and Porter, Cider and Perry Spirits (Beverages)—	4,347	33,326	46,043	69,649
Brandy	4,379	21,859	41,908	46,152
Gin	15,276	46,758	45,223	96,678
Rum	8,205	4,104	13,836	8,477
Whisky	268,962	245,672	891,395	424,410
Other	3,467	7,063	19,622	21,451
Wine (Fermented)—				
Sparkling	1,281	22,732	14,750	53,243
Other	5,617	15,098	15,517	25,556
TOTAL, CLASS IV.	311,534	396,612	1,088,294	745,616
Class V.—Tobacco and Preparations thereof.				
Tobacco—				
Manufactured	30,579	34,977	84,720	70,199
Unmanufactured	246,512	559,649	519,010	875,369
Cigars	29,715	35,259	63,839	69,879
Cigarettes	14,164	27,226	37,990	55,735
Snuff	259	358	386	1,066
TOTAL, CLASS V.	321,229	657,469	705,945	1,072,248
Class VI.—Live Animals	6,502	40,591	27,724	87,650
Class VII.—Animal Substances (mainly Unmanufactured), not Foodstuffs.				
Gelatine and Glue of all kinds ..	18,241	6,575	59,186	19,447
Skins—				
Hides (Calf, Cattle, and Horse) ..	113,167	100,830	257,769	269,556
Sheep	3,507	9,087	12,876	10,997
Other	43,147	115,291	205,998	223,594
Yarns—Wool, including Hosiery Yarn	325,066	161,807	617,256	415,038
All other Animal Substances ..	13,882	9,867	27,869	26,814
TOTAL, CLASS VII.	517,010	403,457	1,180,954	965,446
Class VIII.—Vegetable Substances and Fibres.				
Bark, Tanning	14,973	12,721	25,785	34,056
Copra	144,212	105,756	571,658	677,639
Fibres—				
Flax and Hemp, including Phormium Tenax	77,766	91,897	224,688	251,733
All other	108,638	216,010	446,936	402,276
Yarns—				
Cotton	53,569	28,475	144,652	60,607
All other	31,064	12,141	130,816	40,365
All other Vegetable Substances ..	230,310	376,820	853,684	713,089
TOTAL, CLASS VIII.	660,532	843,820	2,398,219	2,179,765

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC.—*continued.*—IMPORTS.

Article.	Period.			
	March Quarter.		First Nine Months.	
	1919.	1920.	1918-19.	1919-20.
Class IX.—(a) Apparel ; (b) Textiles ; and (c) Manufactured Fibres.				
(a) Apparel—				
Blouses, Skirts, Costumes, &c.	90,843	49,113	182,193	120,501
Boots and Shoes	62,595	45,154	155,592	197,593
Hats and Caps	63,568	67,148	203,963	162,266
Hosiery and Knitted Apparel (including Socks & Stockings)	744,456	276,468	1,512,022	949,134
Men's and Boys' Clothing ..	17,995	23,732	56,391	66,110
Shirts, Collars, Ties, &c. ..	108,161	41,470	263,545	119,048
Trimmings	368,381	128,316	811,949	365,849
Other	592,847	316,713	1,425,261	926,157
(b) Textiles (not apparel)	6,882,647	4,742,514	20,905,014	10,907,281
(c) Bags and Sacks—				
Bran, Chaff, and Compressed Fodder	106,195	324,988	384,294	565,734
Corn and Flour	393,355	154,739	2,129,679	662,774
All other	186,181	19,244	744,765	230,926
Cordage and Twines (excluding Metal Cordage)	78,906	45,782	253,531	151,533
TOTAL, CLASS IX.	9,696,130	6,235,381	29,028,199	15,424,906
Class X.—Oils, Fats, and Waxes.				
Oils (in Bulk)—				
Kerosene	156,423	244,321	378,364	648,694
Lubricating (Mineral)	154,387	78,183	497,694	216,014
Petroleum Spirit	369,327	688,943	1,055,637	1,849,787
All other Oils, Fats, and Waxes ..	157,325	373,423	672,779	792,329
TOTAL, CLASS X.	837,462	1,384,870	2,604,474	3,506,824
Class XI.—Paints, Colours, and Varnishes				
	151,120	112,000	358,012	335,013
Class XII.—Stones and Minerals used industrially	37,798	32,853	100,084	124,166
Class XIII.—Ores and Metals Unmanufactured or Partly Manufactured.				
Iron and Steel—				
Bar, Rod, Hoop, Ingots, Blooms, &c.	156,754	162,356	356,091	587,178
Pig and Scrap	1,250	15,074	5,597	25,315
Mixed Metals (Alloys)—				
Ferrous	5,790	1,046	21,132	2,969
Other	8,075	12,305	21,978	26,760
All other Ores and Metals Unmanufactured	34,767	20,766	103,429	78,056
TOTAL, CLASS XIII.	206,636	211,547	508,227	720,278

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC.—*continued.*—IMPORTS.

Article.	Period.			
	March Quarter.		First Nine Months.	
	1919.	1920.	1918-19.	1919-20.
Class XIV.—(a) Machines and Machinery; (b) Other Manufactures of Metal.	£	£	£	£
(a) Implements and Machinery (Agricultural, Horticultural, and Viticultural)	205,361	118,652	413,558	340,907
All other Machines and Machinery	857,832	892,432	2,179,187	2,996,232
(b) Electrical and Gas Appliances ..	200,146	146,433	445,083	475,477
Iron and Steel—				
Girders, Beams, Channels, Joists, &c.	11,597	80,424	42,843	169,706
Pipes and Tubes	214,842	242,642	526,279	856,322
Plate and Sheet—				
Corrugated, Galvanized ..	182,767	429,780	404,227	1,248,132
Galvanized, not Corrugated ..	90,976	171,817	257,018	628,445
Plain, not Galvanized ..	185,070	139,925	423,714	561,109
Rails, Fishplates, Fishbolts, &c.	87	3,594	3,998	36,916
Tinned Plates and Sheets (Plain) ..	679,539	474,133	1,703,223	1,043,981
Tools of Trade (not being Machines) ..	221,020	180,448	500,133	653,372
Vehicles—				
Motor Cycles, Tricycles, &c. ..	26,068	97,833	89,241	199,605
Bodies for Motor Cars, &c. ..	19,635	31,970	82,467	89,143
Chassis for Motor Cars, &c. ..	262,099	693,037	900,240	1,706,318
Other, and Parts	201,692	235,970	463,696	672,031
Wire—Iron and Steel	109,659	67,054	346,976	424,388
All other Manufactures of Metals ..	1,085,186	1,038,513	2,718,309	3,185,865
TOTAL, CLASS XIV. ..	4,553,576	5,044,657	11,500,192	15,287,949
Class XV.—(a) India-rubber and India-rubber Manufactures; (b) Leather and Manufactures of Leather, and Substitutes therefor.				
(a) Rubber, Crude, Powdered, or Reclaimed	113,432	49,520	432,007	153,375
Rubber Manufactures	309,227	307,200	810,308	833,158
(b) Leather—				
Patent and Enamelled	98,156	109,440	185,601	270,364
All other	138,084	111,766	360,579	252,883
TOTAL, CLASS XV. ..	658,899	577,926	1,788,495	1,509,780
Class XVI.—Wood and Wicker, Raw and Manufactured.				
Timber—				
Dressed	11,339	117,386	37,744	216,995
Undressed	462,147	645,924	1,400,171	1,455,540
Wood and Wicker Manufactures, including Furniture	68,323	84,537	194,487	245,888
Wood Pulp	13,555	18,188	40,509	29,315
TOTAL, CLASS XVI. ..	555,364	866,035	1,672,911	1,947,738

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC.—*continued*—IMPORTS.

Article.	Period.			
	March Quarter.		First Nine Months.	
	1919.	1920.	1918-19.	1919-20.
Class XVII.—Earthenware, Cements, China, Glass, and Stoneware.	£	£	£	£
Cement (Portland)	2	2,684	94	6,445
Earthenware, China, &c.	109,212	102,334	386,765	286,425
Glass and Glassware	215,579	126,922	550,366	380,651
All other Earthenware, Cements, China, Glass, and Stoneware ..	33,512	43,998	101,006	81,603
TOTAL, CLASS XVII... ..	358,305	275,938	1,038,231	755,124
Class XVIII.—(a) Paper ; (b) Stationery.				
(a) Paper—				
Cardboard and other Paper Boards	99,116	31,996	212,526	108,990
Printing	468,885	366,711	1,185,388	1,000,899
Wrapping of all Colours ..	113,291	61,796	342,624	218,364
Writing and Typewriting ..	203,996	76,212	486,693	311,603
All other	198,888	143,346	510,574	372,892
(b) Stationery—				
Books (printed), Directories, &c.	235,060	185,004	538,571	551,883
All other	140,775	132,543	362,296	378,309
TOTAL, CLASS XVIII... ..	1,460,011	997,608	3,638,672	2,942,940
Class XIX.—Jewellery, Timepieces, and Fancy Goods.				
Fancy Goods	180,012	156,645	593,024	511,912
Jewellery, including Cameos, &c. ..	78,578	202,771	293,883	423,543
Watches, Clocks, Chronometers, &c.	79,490	75,482	195,299	210,989
TOTAL, CLASS XIX... ..	338,080	434,898	1,082,206	1,146,444
Class XX.—Optical, Surgical, and Scientific Instruments.				
Films for Kinematographs, &c. ..	29,373	58,018	128,387	151,613
Surgical and Dental Instruments ..	57,583	46,896	153,832	112,258
Talking Machines, Phonographs, &c.	43,272	68,003	94,145	181,305
All other Optical and Scientific Instruments	54,264	86,758	162,285	203,439
TOTAL, CLASS XX... ..	184,492	259,675	538,649	648,615
Class XXI.—Drugs, Chemicals, and Fertilizers.				
Drugs and Chemicals—				
Acid, Tartaric	23,580	40,605	98,840	68,331
Calcium Carbide	12,879	24,069	135,525	77,044
Cream of Tartar	114,681	52,559	414,424	115,080
Cyanides of Potassium and Sodium	37,720	17,280	95,200	39,552
Perfumery and Toilet Preparations	71,778	63,415	153,100	212,319
Proprietary Medicines	65,698	62,146	205,759	178,367
Sodium Carbonate (Soda Ash and Crystals)	60,378	26,266	173,533	65,701
Sodium Hydroxide (Caustic Soda)	67,642	23,857	154,566	60,608
Sulphur (Brimstone)	23,508	88,644	229,953	139,471
All other	520,792	354,968	1,499,723	1,033,490
Fertilizers	51,582	123,568	348,180	408,402
TOTAL, CLASS XXI... ..	1,050,238	877,377	3,508,803	2,398,365

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC.—*continued*—IMPORTS.

Article.	Period.			
	March Quarter.		First Nine Months.	
	1919.	1920.	1918-19.	1919-20.
£	£	£	£	£
Class XXII.—Miscellaneous.				
Brushware	45,825	41,763	153,125	117,243
Electrical Material—Cable and Wire (covered)	135,776	132,219	379,878	422,767
Instruments, Musical—				
Pianos and Parts	80,158	55,524	211,980	222,174
Other, and Parts	23,892	22,898	54,633	61,447
Matches and Vestas	31,733	41,508	319,672	75,464
Soap	10,221	30,742	25,884	88,094
All other Articles	530,501	705,927	1,518,190	1,664,012
TOTAL, CLASS XXII.	858,106	1,030,581	2,663,362	2,651,201
Class XXIII.—Gold and Silver; and Bronze Specie.				
Gold	507,801	256	1,414,252	40,437
Silver	40,050	5,762	93,940	9,644
Bronze Specie	8,000	7	8,000	7
TOTAL, CLASS XXIII.	555,851	6,025	1,516,192	50,088
SUMMARY.				
Importing States—				
New South Wales	11,063,411	10,633,687	32,972,029	27,806,424
Victoria	9,358,165	8,653,385	26,246,320	21,000,294
Queensland	1,492,684	1,773,094	4,134,301	4,950,833
South Australia	1,597,668	1,766,288	4,658,445	4,756,586
Western Australia	666,489	1,193,165	2,353,766	3,228,748
Tasmania	120,438	211,983	474,324	522,178
Northern Territory	5,597	5,377	17,198	22,435
GRAND TOTAL	24,304,452	24,236,979	70,856,383	62,287,498

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC.—*continued.*

EXPORTS.

Article.	Period.			
	March Quarter.		First Nine Months.	
	1919.	1920.	1918-19.	1919-20.
Class I.—Foodstuffs of Animal Origin, but excluding Living Animals.				
Butter	1,227,732	995,707	2,107,153	2,745,925
Butter Substitutes	39,446	21,544	70,399	45,568
Cheese	33,349	103,650	89,848	268,393
Meats—				
Potted or Concentrated	103,564	12,487	307,992	132,486
Preserved by Cold Process—				
Beef	286,227	77,984	1,885,576	1,856,398
Lamb	55,724	409,441	84,963	1,454,640
Mutton	448,147	992,648	663,546	3,076,183
Rabbits and Hares	240,270	402,380	301,074	698,188
Preserved in Tins	1,051,069	373,805	3,050,788	2,495,990
Other	183,884	198,510	749,717	716,981
Milk and Cream	300,091	464,480	817,853	1,287 044
All other Animal Foodstuffs	129,777	52,790	305,028	168,850
TOTAL, CLASS I.	4,099,280	4,105,426	10,433,937	14,946,646
Class II.—Foodstuffs of Vegetable Origin.				
Biscuits	86,114	74,905	317,808	198,899
Fruits, Dried—				
Currants	14,226	22,010	62,890	153,908
Raisins	14,646	11,314	57,026	96,198
Other	1,427	16,844	51,972	24,442
Fruits, Fresh—				
Apples	22,950	120,432	27,856	128,937
Other	7,524	7,354	40,012	31,340
Grain and Pulse—				
Unprepared—				
Wheat	3,768,765	6,541,243	6,215,446	18,574,021
Other	70,961	116,424	164,663	310,927
Prepared—				
Flour (Wheaten)	1,985,407	2,179,152	3,773,926	7,004,084
Rice	51,930	18,697	138,025	97,590
Other	96,023	77,458	300,718	183,147
Jams and Jellies	559,995	164,703	1,182,744	913,835
All other Vegetable Foodstuffs	212,341	225,554	608,590	691,304
TOTAL, CLASS II.	6,892,309	9,576,090	12,941,676	28,408,632
Class III.—Beverages (Non-alcoholic), and Substances used in making.				
Tea	46,495	161,002	114,011	312,817
All other Non-alcoholic Beverages	21,342	30,861	65,167	68,871
TOTAL, CLASS III.	67,837	191,863	179,178	381,688

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC.—*continued.*—EXPORTS.

Article.	Period.			
	March Quarter.		First Nine Months.	
	1919.	1920.	1918-19.	1919-20.
£	£	£	£	£
Class IV.—Spirituous and Alcoholic Liquors.				
Ale, Beer and Porter, Cider and Perry	18,154	23,060	58,993	80,497
Spirits (Beverages)	17,098	50,522	121,727	128,496
Wine	36,137	41,194	127,173	132,678
TOTAL, CLASS IV. ..	71,389	114,776	307,893	341,671
Class V.—Tobacco and Preparations thereof	59,774	86,865	225,877	297,116
Class VI.—Live Animals.				
Cattle	2,199	5,006	5,072	12,462
Horses	29,606	69,015	174,742	124,607
Sheep	10,777	22,875	32,830	54,939
All other Live Animals	380	773	1,846	4,536
TOTAL, CLASS VI. ..	42,962	97,669	214,490	196,544
Class VII.—Animal Substances (mainly Unmanufactured), not Foodstuffs.				
Skins—				
Hides (Calf, Cattle, Horse) ..	122,149	477,124	517,003	1,324,593
Rabbit and Hare	509,976	907,739	936,200	3,195,608
Sheep	628,938	657,449	1,333,995	2,301,010
Other	206,266	464,147	442,902	2,408,223
Pearlshell	127,749	150,975	229,295	381,015
Wool—				
Greasy	7,342,741	12,258,201	20,353,479	27,765,821
Scoured and Washed	4,353,969	2,891,513	7,330,851	6,823,212
Tops	237,148	329,643	678,940	1,165,646
All other Animal Substances ..	39,503	176,778	139,126	420,600
TOTAL, CLASS VII. ..	13,568,439	18,313,569	31,961,791	45,785,728
Class VIII.—Vegetable Substances and Fibres.				
Bark, Tanning	5,139	23,392	12,507	36,408
Copra	213,947	183,706	427,315	368,465
Sandalwood	20,485	74,822	124,523	159,351
All other Vegetable Substances and Fibres	39,102	66,020	107,550	167,247
TOTAL, CLASS VIII. ..	278,673	347,940	671,895	731,471

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC.—continued.—EXPORTS.

Article.	Period.			
	March Quarter.		First Nine Months.	
	1919.	1920.	1918-19.	1919-20.
£	£	£	£	£
Class IX.—(a) Apparel; (b) Textiles; and (c) Manufactured Fibres.				
Boots and Shoes	99,176	230,000	259,400	478,091
All other Apparel	94,754	157,577	362,850	375,296
All other Textiles, including Bags, Cordage, &c.	181,505	225,452	509,989	674,531
TOTAL, CLASS IX.	375,435	613,029	1,132,239	1,527,918
Class X.—Oils, Fats, and Waxes.				
Oil—Coconut	1,032	30,866	112,143	153,266
Tallow—Unrefined	659,679	834,677	1,257,011	2,139,597
All other Oils, Fats, and Waxes	119,555	145,617	308,205	548,621
TOTAL, CLASS X.	780,266	1,011,160	1,677,359	2,841,484
Class XI.—Paints and Varnishes ..	33,728	66,670	97,687	168,725
Class XII.—Stones and Minerals used Industrially.				
Coal	130,694	184,516	261,794	543,815
All other Stones and Minerals used industrially	21,881	20,850	44,016	46,046
TOTAL, CLASS XII.	152,575	205,366	305,810	589,861
Class XIII.—Ores and Metals, Unmanufactured or partly Manufactured.				
Copper Ingots and in Matte ..	789,296	447,901	1,994,953	1,732,717
Iron and Steel—Bar, Rod, Hoop, Ingots, &c.	111,333	71,190	218,775	99,261
Lead—Pig and in Matte	1,119,669	964,236	2,516,242	1,973,114
Ores and Concentrates—				
Tin .. .. ..	..	7,900	2,088	14,510
Wolfram	45,292	21,007	141,886	114,523
Zinc	150,364	63,447	373,210	127,488
Other	67,715	78,499	172,340	215,543
Tim Ingots	224,719	196,463	828,697	688,640
Zinc—Bars, Blocks, &c.	870	3,793	100,441	25,732
All other Metals Unmanufactured or partly Manufactured	73,021	168,721	181,861	270,346
TOTAL, CLASS XIII.	2,582,279	2,023,157	6,530,493	5,261,874
Class XIV.—(a) Machines and Machinery; (b) Other Manufactures of Metal.				
Machines and Machinery	114,720	94,346	401,259	284,078
Other Manufactures of Metal	217,577	217,347	536,519	594,676
TOTAL, CLASS XIV.	332,297	311,693	937,778	878,754

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC.—continued.—EXPORTS.

Article.	Period.			
	March Quarter.		First Nine Months.	
	1919.	1920.	1918-19.	1919-20.
	£	£	£	£
Class XV.—(a) India-rubber and India-rubber Manufactures ; (b) Leather and Manufactures of Leather, and Substitutes therefor.				
India-rubber and Manufactures ..	55,779	56,911	159,201	225,011
Leather and Manufactures ..	632,168	554,471	1,094,614	1,757,918
TOTAL, CLASS XV. ..	687,947	611,382	1,253,815	1,982,929
Class XVI.—Wood and Wicker, Raw and Manufactured.				
Timber	54,792	182,337	172,753	314,459
Wood and Wicker Manufactures, including Furniture	14,690	16,562	39,509	46,539
TOTAL, CLASS XVI. ..	69,482	198,899	212,262	360,998
Class XVII.—Earthenware, Cement, China, Glass, and Stoneware ..	23,478	40,829	68,404	102,146
Class XVIII.—(a) Paper ; (b) Stationery.				
Paper	15,346	20,931	42,865	51,971
Stationery	32,324	36,899	82,048	109,599
TOTAL, CLASS XVIII. ..	47,670	57,830	124,913	161,570
Class XIX.—Jewellery, Timepieces, and Fancy Goods.				
Precious Stones, Unset	72,021	141,588	129,095	265,267
All other Jewellery, Timepieces, and Fancy Goods	12,969	28,509	63,652	85,848
TOTAL, CLASS XIX. ..	84,990	170,097	192,747	351,115
Class XX.—Optical, Surgical, and Scientific Instruments	27,351	34,397	81,168	104,003
Class XXI.—Drugs, Chemicals, and Fertilizers.				
Fertilizers—				
Ammonium Sulphate	65,958	37,583	301,560	149,065
Superphosphates	19,872	4,664	70,230	56,160
Other	13,411	129,244	35,731	186,104
Oil—Eucalyptus	17,638	23,987	64,909	64,345
All other Drugs and Chemicals	173,989	125,557	537,724	361,030
TOTAL, CLASS XXI. ..	290,868	321,035	1,010,154	816,704

VALUE OF PRINCIPAL ARTICLES, ETC.—*continued.*—EXPORTS.

Article.	Period.			
	March Quarter.		First Nine Months.	
	1919.	1920.	1918-19.	1919-20.
£	£	£	£	£
Class XXII.—Miscellaneous.				
Soap	50,939	51,452	117,758	146,662
Vessels transferred abroad	100,000	597,036	102,600	718,086
All other Articles	169,517	123,768	461,316	437,256
TOTAL, CLASS XXII. ..	320,456	772,256	681,674	1,302,004
Class XXIII.—Gold and Silver; and Bronze Specie.				
Gold	2,664,305	932,356	4,466,014	3,435,614
Silver	581,105	109,899	1,749,800	1,028,495
Bronze Specie .. ..	..	..	15	2,040
TOTAL, CLASS XXIII. ..	3,245,410	1,042,255	6,215,829	4,466,149
SUMMARY.				
States of Final Shipment—				
New South Wales	14,693,419	13,244,504	37,288,339	40,191,044
Victoria	8,827,978	11,492,686	17,334,097	33,982,383
Queensland	2,581,297	4,505,115	8,132,726	11,155,701
South Australia	3,986,186	5,913,772	7,185,937	14,623,175
Western Australia	3,654,155	4,802,126	6,467,107	10,828,055
Tasmania	256,051	355,006	674,204	1,017,015
Northern Territory	135,809	1,044	376,659	208,357
GRAND TOTAL	34,134,895	40,314,253	77,459,069	112,005,730

PRINCIPAL AGRICULTURAL, PASTORAL, AND DAIRY PRODUCE of
Australian Origin exported from each State to Various Countries during the
first nine months of the years 1918-19 and 1919-20.

NOTE.—In this table exports are referred to the State from which they were finally despatched from the Commonwealth.

BUTTER (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queens-land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth, 9 months.	
							1919-20.	1918-19.
United Kingdom	35,165	157,467	41,196	21,717	..	..	255,545	195,702
Canada	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	1,544
Ceylon	836	1,304	80	..	..	1	2,221	1,112
China	3,779	3,285	208	..	..	..	7,272	5,132
Cochin China	..	1,747	1,037	..	..	..	2,784	493
East Indies—								
Celebes	..	21	1,178	13	..	..	1,212	1,267
Java	..	378	28,975	778	..	760	30,891	37,894
Sumatra	..	..	3,688	92	..	..	3,780	3,443
Other Islands	..	9	484	19	..	..	..	565
Egypt	..	..	280	..	..	..	..	280
Hong Kong	..	3,222	1,391	351	..	..	4,964	2,419
Japan	..	1,638	1,655	374	..	..	3,667	114
Pacific Islands—								
Fiji	..	235	78	..	..	..	313	702
New Caledonia	..	533	..	..	..	..	..	608
Other Islands	..	687	22	13	..	..	..	640
Papua	..	147	..	29	..	..	..	228
Philippine Islands	..	3,845	3,624	961	..	..	8,430	4,612
South African Union	..	658	2,823	..	..	..	..	181
Straits Settlements	..	5,785	1,419	5	..	52	..	8,168
Other Countries	..	128	647	107	..	..	882	436
Total, 9 mos., 1919-20	57,066	210,067	45,263	21,717	813	..	334,926	..
,, , 1918-19	56,724	188,377	14,167	11,038	1,460	..	..	271,766

BUTTER (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queens-land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth, 9 months.	
							1919-20.	1918-19.
United Kingdom	£ 271,766	£ 1,225,839	£ 321,628	£ 164,742	..	..	£ 1,983,975	£ 1,453,863
Canada	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	11,589
Ceylon	..	7,601	11,791	830	..	10	20,232	9,198
China	..	30,636	34,738	2,223	..	..	67,597	48,610
Cochin China	..	..	16,158	11,534	..	..	27,692	4,325
East Indies—								
Celebes	..	195	12,249	136	..	..	12,580	11,888
Java	..	3,668	280,634	7,567	..	7,483	299,352	327,604
Sumatra	..	..	37,312	939	..	..	38,251	31,469
Other Islands	..	77	4,620	198	..	..	..	4,111
Egypt	..	..	2,188	..	..	..	..	2,188
Hong Kong	..	29,342	13,060	3,541	..	..	45,943	20,941
Japan	..	15,573	18,467	3,820	..	..	37,860	1,146
Pacific Islands—								
Fiji	..	2,128	875	..	..	..	3,003	5,536
New Caledonia	..	4,620	..	..	..	..	4,620	4,905
Other Islands	..	6,512	206	141	..	..	6,859	5,618
Papua	..	1,331	..	314	..	..	1,645	2,048
Philippine Islands	..	34,551	36,623	10,674	..	..	81,648	37,246
South African Union	..	6,487	25,999	..	..	..	..	32,486
Straits Settlements	..	51,582	13,673	47	..	529	..	65,831
Other Countries	..	1,200	6,849	1,217	..	2	..	9,268
Total, 9 mos., 1919-20	467,069	£ 1,741,281	364,809	164,742	8,024	..	2,745,925	..
,, , 1918-19	440,154	1,463,355	110,815	79,519	13,309	..	..	2,107,153

FLOUR (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queens-land.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth, 9 months.	
							1919-20.	1918-19.
United Kingdom ..	264,699	530,443	..	103,021	56,654	..	954,817	1,417,589
British North Borneo ..	19,772	2,297	..	..	..	..	22,069	8,085
Ceylon ..	14,063	75,324	..	11,870	62,560	..	163,817	..
China ..	15,086	3,877	..	..	..	..	18,963	15,728
Cochin China ..	6,586	125	..	..	..	..	6,711	5,439
Denmark ..	..	..	..	..	147,626	..	147,626	..
East Indies—								
Celebes ..	10,210	25,829	..	..	..	..	36,039	23,214
Java ..	111,438	168,071	..	103,492	131,215	..	514,216	463,895
Sumatra ..	51,083	76,691	..	..	1,211	..	128,985	67,978
Other Islands ..	2,282	21,213	..	..	..	..	23,495	21,631
Egypt ..	..	1,014,684	..	281,092	151,939	..	1,447,715	887,112
France ..	..	306,320	..	..	361,818	..	668,138	..
Greece ..	..	118,537	..	323,653	147,122	..	589,312	..
Hong Kong ..	166,938	464,498	..	..	12,500	..	643,936	338,208
India ..	49	9,174	..	..	400	..	9,623	471,554
Japan ..	153,153	67,633	..	..	206,856	..	427,642	17,537
Pacific Islands—								
Fiji ..	28,754	4,349	..	..	..	..	33,103	35,737
New Caledonia ..	43,259	3,678	..	8,865	..	..	55,802	58,417
New Hebrides ..	4,850	..	..	..	..	..	4,850	10,266
Other Islands ..	34,048	562	591	..	..	..	35,201	90,709
Philippine Islands ..	536,933	188,146	..	..	13,810	..	738,889	412,655
South African Union ..	6,747	300,603	..	257,052	36,150	..	600,552	171,978
Straits Settlements ..	302,756	18,876	..	..	608,671	..	930,303	371,422
Other Countries ..	13,798	223,226	..	59	268	12,140	4,000	253,491
Total, 9 mos., 1919-20	1,786,504	3,624,156	650	1,089,313	1,950,672	4,000	8,455,295	..
," 1918-19	1,871,703	1,743,085	138	1,194,379	1,393,670	..	..	6,202,975

FLOUR (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queens-land.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth, 9 months.	
							1919-20.	1918-19.
United Kingdom ..	£ 146,596	£ 313,145	..	£ 57,109	£ 34,244	..	£ 551,094	£ 800,155
British North Borneo ..	16,783	1,547	..	..	..	..	18,330	5,283
Ceylon ..	12,998	79,589	..	7,972	64,993	..	165,552	..
China ..	11,966	3,018	..	..	..	..	14,984	12,434
Cochin China ..	5,807	126	..	..	..	..	5,933	4,228
Denmark ..	..	..	..	..	107,107	..	107,107	..
East Indies—								
Celebes ..	9,193	23,102	..	..	..	..	32,295	16,432
Java ..	92,406	152,335	..	92,861	135,466	..	473,068	327,422
Sumatra ..	44,406	66,622	..	..	1,304	..	112,332	51,370
Other Islands ..	1,861	20,272	..	..	..	..	22,133	13,888
Egypt ..	..	680,433	..	152,159	200,593	..	1,033,185	524,538
France ..	..	170,240	..	..	275,313	..	445,553	..
Greece ..	..	160,104	..	375,828	204,279	..	740,211	..
Hong Kong ..	137,099	371,866	..	..	11,870	..	520,835	212,989
India ..	40	8,804	..	..	163	..	9,007	254,887
Japan ..	133,547	66,220	..	..	197,360	..	397,127	13,225
Pacific Islands—								
Fiji ..	23,641	5,091	..	..	..	..	28,732	22,935
New Caledonia ..	36,116	4,276	..	7,426	..	..	47,818	38,322
New Hebrides ..	4,336	..	..	..	..	..	4,336	6,885
Other Islands ..	28,152	615	542	..	..	..	29,309	66,021
Philippine Islands ..	444,641	164,359	..	..	11,897	..	620,897	313,138
South African Union ..	6,718	251,389	..	218,294	32,010	..	508,411	118,778
Straits Settlements ..	255,808	14,093	..	..	665,592	..	935,493	287,898
Other Countries ..	9,589	155,753	48	312	12,140	2,500	180,342	683,098
Total, 9 mos., 1919-20	1,421,703	2,712,999	590	911,961	1,954,331	2,500	7,004,084	..
," 1918-19	1,256,062	1,043,295	97	606,230	863,242	..	..	3,773,926

WHEAT (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queens-land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth, 9 Months.	
							1919-20.	1918-19.
United Kingdom ..	302,106	7,712,430	..	13,532,877	3,750,046	..	25,297,459	2,428,813
Brazil ..	..	137,655	..	..	..	..	137,655	..
Ceylon ..	..	31,587	..	..	..	..	31,587	802,144
Egypt ..	..	1,508,136	..	122,849	..	..	1,630,985	1,514,547
France ..	49,215	1,559,559	..	3,667,787	283,718	..	5,560,279	272,777
India ..	..	380,867	..	119,888	140,986	..	641,741	1,651,551
Italy ..	..	..	..	720,033	..	..	720,033	682,013
Japan ..	1,387,832	1,488,783	..	401,688	..	..	3,278,303	578,604
Malta ..	..	129,772	..	..	10,391	..	140,163	..
New Zealand ..	..	862,486	..	..	..	..	862,486	857,374
Norway ..	..	464,036	..	523,039	..	..	987,075	821,463
Peru ..	36,249	42,365	..	..	..	..	78,614	272,921
South African Union ..	2	516,059	..	93,301	31,493	..	640,855	289,130
Sweden ..	..	313,839	..	..	..	..	313,839	766,806
United States ..	..	43,976	..	..	..	..	43,976	1,792,347
Other Countries ..	5,887	685,652	175	88,947	6,889	..	787,550	1,485,488
Total, 9 mos., 1919-20	1,781,291	15,877,202	175	19,270,409	4,223,523	..	41,152,600	..
,, 1918-19	3,500,823	6,100,993	8	3,835,838	777,846	470	..	14,215,978

WHEAT (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queens-land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth, 9 Months.	
							1919-20.	1918-19.
United Kingdom ..	130,657	3,399,427	..	5,860,714	1,723,629	..	11,114,427	1,055,667
Brazil ..	..	78,670	..	..	..	..	78,670	..
Ceylon ..	..	12,783	..	..	..	..	12,783	342,615
Egypt ..	..	627,167	..	56,992	..	..	684,159	615,797
France ..	25,610	681,506	..	1,668,398	128,936	..	2,504,450	107,973
India ..	..	159,791	..	47,720	73,608	..	281,119	667,867
Italy ..	..	..	..	324,621	..	..	324,621	261,444
Japan ..	562,407	765,858	..	240,841	..	..	1,569,106	298,709
Malta ..	..	76,988	..	..	6,127	..	83,115	..
New Zealand ..	..	409,294	..	..	..	..	409,294	401,560
Norway ..	..	243,383	..	250,623	..	..	494,006	414,093
Peru ..	19,350	26,164	..	..	..	..	45,514	123,055
South African Union ..	2	332,608	..	58,475	18,549	..	409,634	125,786
Sweden ..	..	176,104	..	..	..	..	176,104	357,967
United States ..	..	24,554	..	..	..	..	24,554	855,932
Other Countries ..	3,128	298,903	148	56,223	4,063	..	362,465	606,981
Total, 9 mos., 1919-20	741,154	7,313,200	148	8,564,607	1,954,912	..	18,574,021	..
,, 1918-19	1,590,247	2,709,389	4	1,601,105	314,508	193	..	6,215,446

WOOL, GREASY (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queens-land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth, 9 Months.	
							1919-20.	1918-19.
United Kingdom ..	948,027	798,956	288,885	226,607	310,379	47,017	2,619,871	2,093,754
Belgium ..	.99,601	48,159	98,481	51,837	13,315	..	311,393	..
Canada ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	31,524
Egypt ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	109,509
France ..	104,257	59,719	30,074	39,003	14,860	..	247,913	25,814
India ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	7,958
Italy ..	126,421	50,315	83,721	73,918	94,883	..	429,258	100,983
Japan ..	34,921	340	53,579	..	..	..	88,840	53,196
Switzerland ..	..	..	..	13,608	..	..	13,608	..
United States ..	80,781	36,240	144,647	19,344	..	..	281,012	614,590
Total, 9 mos., 1919-20	1,394,008	993,729	712,995	410,709	433,437	47,017	3,991,895	..
,, 1918-19	1,418,548	606,859	389,516	348,164	236,047	38,194	..	3,037,328

WOOL, GREASY (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queens-land.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth 9 months.	
							1919-20.	1918-19.
United Kingdom ..	£ 6,569,301	£ 6,080,077	£ 2,116,284	£ 1,493,082	£ 2,140,375	£ 369,088	£ 18,768,207	£ 14,166,855
Belgium ..	469,177	275,580	592,847	238,889	64,851	..	1,641,344	..
Canada ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	201,086
Egypt ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	608,029
France ..	736,644	479,810	235,152	244,211	87,354	..	1,783,171	224,159
India ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	55,562
Italy ..	786,745	384,506	561,062	431,719	546,591	..	2,710,623	551,291
Japan ..	240,429	7,542	419,324	..	..	..	667,295	406,724
Switzerland ..	..	..	126,817	..	..	..	126,817	..
United States ..	555,302	304,428	1,073,305	135,329	..	..	2,068,364	4,139,773
Total, 9 mos., 1919-20	9,357,598	7,531,943	5,124,791	2,543,230	2,839,171	369,088	27,765,821	..
" " 1918-19	9,025,991	4,140,260	2,803,854	2,435,798	1,634,985	312,591	..	20,353,479

WOOL, SCOURED (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queens-land.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth 9 months.	
							1919-20.	1918-19.
United Kingdom ..	Cental. 187,295	Cental. 169,626	Cental. 108,745	Cental. 23,241	Cental. 26,791	Cental. ..	Cental. 515,698	Cental. 752,052
Belgium ..	38,357	15,249	48,149	..	..	..	101,755	..
Canada ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3,528
Egypt ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	358
France ..	1,052	..	..	..	..	..	1,052	272
India ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	2,163
Japan ..	21,049	5,306	2,270	..	..	..	28,625	25,159
Norway ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	3,100
Philippine Islands ..	258	..	..	..	..	..	258	203
Sweden ..	..	226	..	..	..	..	226	..
Switzerland ..	..	..	1,084	..	..	..	1,084	..
United States ..	16,533	636	4,944	..	..	..	22,113	11,721
Total, 9 mos., 1919-20	264,544	191,043	165,192	23,241	26,791	..	670,811	..
" " 1918-19	446,994	153,674	138,723	53,618	5,547	..	..	798,556

WOOL, SCOURED (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queens-land.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth, 9 months.	
							1919-20.	1918-19.
United Kingdom ..	£ 1,908,007	£ 1,915,639	£ 1,358,255	£ 230,353	£ 262,444	£ ..	£ 5,674,698	£ 7,091,439
Belgium ..	313,573	147,398	539,269	..	..	..	1,000,240	..
Canada ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	36,778
Egypt ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	5,785
France ..	7,791	..	..	..	..	..	7,791	4,668
India ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	22,774
Japan ..	768,089	148,212	18,366	..	..	..	934,667	736,442
Norway ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	34,528
Philippine Islands ..	4,088	..	..	..	..	..	4,088	2,787
Sweden ..	..	7,915	..	..	..	..	7,915	..
Switzerland ..	..	..	15,625	..	..	..	15,625	..
United States ..	298,056	5,948	39,830	..	..	..	343,834	74,590
Total, 9 mos., 1919-20	3,299,604	2,225,112	1,971,345	230,353	262,444	..	7,988,858	..
" " 1918-19	4,460,809	1,367,247	1,606,253	517,498	57,984	..	..	8,009,791

BEEF, FROZEN (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queens-land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	N. Terr.	Commonwealth, 9 Months.	
							1919-20.	1918-19.
United Kingdom ..	Cental. 3,399	Cental. 13,478	Cental. 686,405	Cental. 3,011	Cental. 6,620	Cental. 75,219	Cental. 788,132	Cental. 192,984
Ceylon ..	1,723	..	1,491	..	..	..	3,214	609
Egypt ..	..	..	66,166	..	..	..	66,166	686,810
Pacific Islands—								
Hawaiian Islands ..	14,624	..	..	..	..	..	14,624	7,550
Philippine Islands ..	1,022	..	17,586	..	..	..	18,608	11,188
Straits Settlements ..	1,277	..	13,949	..	..	..	15,226	11,159
Other Countries ..	2,904	26	2,740	..	..	..	5,670	1,568
Total, 9 mos., 1919-20 ..	24,949	13,504	788,337	3,011	6,620	75,219	911,640	..
,, 1918-19 ..	21,320	..	771,077	..	..	119,471	..	911,868

BEEF, FROZEN (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queens-land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	N. Terr.	Commonwealth, 9 Months.	
							1919-20.	1918-19.
United Kingdom ..	£ 6,389	£ 26,190	£ 1,366,893	£ 6,273	£ 16,431	£ 160,895	£ 1,583,071	£ 394,812
Ceylon ..	5,720	..	3,347	..	..	..	9,067	2,129
Egypt ..	..	..	133,583	..	..	..	133,583	1,415,713
Pacific Islands—								
Hawaiian Islands ..	43,514	..	..	..	..	..	43,514	20,630
Philippine Islands ..	2,603	..	37,480	..	..	..	40,083	23,786
Straits Settlements ..	3,537	..	29,856	..	..	..	33,393	25,075
Other Countries ..	7,391	66	6,230	..	..	..	13,687	3,431
Total, 9 mos., 1919-20 ..	69,154	26,256	1,577,389	6,273	16,431	160,895	1,856,398	..
,, 1918-19 ..	51,549	..	1,571,648	..	..	262,379	..	1,885,576

MUTTON AND LAMB, FROZEN (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queens-land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth, 9 Months.	
							1919-20.	1918-19.
United Kingdom ..	Cental. 325,691	Cental. 1,431,649	Cental. 62,692	Cental. 143,874	Cental. ..	Cental. 2,069	Cental. 1,965,975	Cental. 245,019
Belgium ..	7,531	..	..	..	..	..	7,531	..
Ceylon ..	2,876	..	..	..	..	..	2,876	1,899
Egypt ..	..	..	..	..	..	941	941	84,645
France ..	..	1,367	..	..	..	..	1,367	..
Hong Kong ..	2,962	..	..	..	..	..	2,962	1,501
Philippine Islands ..	1,945	..	..	..	..	..	1,945	1,203
South African Union ..	14,117	1,672	..	..	..	..	15,789	..
Straits Settlements ..	7,183	..	795	..	..	..	7,978	5,256
Sweden ..	3,722	17,474	..	..	..	..	21,196	..
Other Countries ..	3,523	..	..	..	..	..	3,523	948
Total, 9 mos., 1919-20 ..	369,550	1,452,162	63,487	143,874	..	3,010	2,032,083	..
,, 1918-19 ..	148,710	154,457	19,178	18,126	..	..	..	340,471

MUTTON AND LAMB, FROZEN (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queens-land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth, 9 Months.	
							1919-20.	1918-19.
United Kingdom ..	£ 729,188	3,190,586	£ 133,839	£ 314,911	£ 4,239	£ 4,372,763	£ 542,726	
Belgium ..	16,309	..	..	..	..	16,309	..	
Ceylon ..	7,878	..	..	..	..	7,878	5,058	
Egypt ..	..	..	..	..	..	2,836	2,836	176,551
France ..	..	3,073	..	..	..	..	3,073	..
Hong Kong ..	8,085	..	..	..	..	..	8,085	4,125
Philippine Islands ..	5,404	..	..	..	..	..	5,404	3,311
South African Union ..	31,132	3,656	..	..	..	..	34,788	..
Straits Settlements ..	20,249	..	1,840	..	..	..	22,089	14,427
Sweden ..	8,802	40,501	..	..	..	..	49,303	..
Other Countries ..	8,295	..	..	..	..	..	8,295	2,311
Total, 9 mos., 1919-20	835,342	3,237,816	135,679	314,911	..	7,075	4,530,823	..
,, 1918-19	335,189	329,950	41,153	42,217	..	..	..	748,509

MEATS PRESERVED IN TINS (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—QUANTITY.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queens-land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth, 9 Months.	
							1919-20.	1918-19.
United Kingdom ..	Cental. 172,868	Cental. 127,320	Cental. 65,456	Cental. 18,663	Cental. 14,801	Cental. ..	Cental. 399,108	Cental. 202,378
Belgium ..	1,463	1,455	1,631	1	..	..	4,550	..
Canada ..	182	..	..	..	..	..	182	1,144
China ..	6	86	..	..	..	..	92	471
East Indies ..	480	147	34	..	..	5	666	1,095
Egypt ..	18	1,597	..	..	..	..	1,615	111,647
India ..	163	235	129	..	..	..	527	171,677
Pacific Islands—								
Bismarck Archipelago	1,559	..	3	..	..	..	1,562	1,496
Fiji	97	..	..	..	..	..	97	1,169
Gilbert and Ellice Is. Col.	1,285	406	..	..	..	..	1,691	567
Solomon Is. (British) ..	341	..	11	..	..	..	352	591
Other Islands ..	1,409	297	..	..	..	..	1,706	1,138
Papua ..	850	..	62	..	..	..	912	678
South African Union ..	1,751	269	..	..	..	4	2,024	2,249
Straits Settlements ..	2,365	41	144	..	..	2	2,552	1,520
Other Countries ..	434	676	42	668	..	3	1,823	1,030
Total, 9 mos., 1919-20 ..	185,271	132,529	67,512	19,332	14,815	..	419,459	..
,, 1918-19 ..	290,441	82,195	96,989	29,210	15	..	..	498,850

MEATS PRESERVED IN TINS (AUSTRALIAN PRODUCE) EXPORTED—VALUE.

Country to which Exported.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queens-land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Commonwealth, 9 Months.	
							1919-20.	1918-19.
United Kingdom ..	£ 1,101,893	708,316	£ 381,415	£ 76,000	£ 95,125	£ ..	£ 2,362,749	£ 1,147,034
Belgium ..	9,142	6,955	9,966	8	..	..	26,071	..
Canada ..	1,388	..	..	..	..	..	1,388	7,027
China ..	43	715	..	..	..	..	758	3,174
East Indies ..	3,046	975	234	..	23	..	4,278	7,438
Egypt ..	238	8,779	..	..	..	..	9,017	613,052
India ..	1,179	1,491	849	..	..	..	3,519	1,104,299
Pacific Islands—								
Bismarck Archipelago	9,983	..	17	..	..	..	10,000	9,172
Fiji	583	1	..	..	..	..	584	8,690
Gilbert & Ellice Is. Col.	7,468	2,401	..	..	..	..	9,869	2,813
Solomon Is. (British) ..	2,509	..	68	..	..	..	2,577	3,620
Other Islands ..	9,733	1,770	3	..	..	..	11,506	5,751
Papua ..	5,553	..	401	..	..	..	5,954	4,604
South African Union ..	11,732	2,635	..	..	57	..	14,424	15,480
Straits Settlements ..	17,344	280	880	..	9	..	18,513	10,511
Other Countries ..	2,555	4,557	282	2,087	21	..	9,502	7,123
Total, 9 mos., 1919-20 ..	1,184,389	738,875	394,115	78,095	95,235	..	2,490,709	..
,, 1918-19 ..	1,733,350	528,108	573,348	114,917	65	..	..	2,949,788

Section IV.—Finance.

COMMONWEALTH CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUND.

RECEIPTS.

Sources of Revenue.	1901-2.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.	1918-19.
TAXATION—	£	£	£	£	£	£
Customs	7,669,970	12,105,698	13,610,684	12,373,664	9,486,555	11,605,410
Excise	1,224,349	2,771,556	3,323,419	3,236,623	3,737,757	5,821,560
Land Tax	1,953,696	2,040,436	2,121,952	2,123,779	2,109,171	
Probate and Succession Duties	39,646	626,215	1,062,168	947,232	923,908	
Income Tax .. ..	..	3,932,775	5,621,950	7,385,514	10,376,456	
Entertainments Tax .. ..	..	..	110,683	245,899	358,126	
War Time Profits Tax .. ..	..	..	..	680,008	1,206,538	
War Postage .. ..	..	..	..	..	463,317	
Total Taxation	8,894,319	16,870,596	23,533,529	24,527,040	24,606,744	32,864,486
Posts, Telegraphs and Telephones	2,372,861	4,594,542	5,053,596	5,498,517	5,762,190	6,110,522
Patents, Trade Marks, &c. .. ..	..	21,906	20,662	20,599	20,282	23,623
Coinage .. ..	..	208,515	359,720	354,276	229,378	125,634
Detained Enemy Vessels .. ..	..	145,503	646,209	1,272,621	2,173,418	1,671,905
Commonwealth Government Steamers, Surplus Earnings .. ..	..	..	..	..	880,000	1,015,762
Defence, including Balance of Trust Account	10,657	147,892	320,760	478,326	934,114	447,868
Quarantine .. ..	..	13,768	19,242	19,671	16,453	44,118
Lighthouse and Light Dues .. ..	..	3	123,945	99,830	108,557	125,231
Federal Territory .. ..	..	14,477	18,526	29,683	31,432	35,434
Northern Territory .. ..	..	31,944	35,630	40,650	39,621	62,439
Kalgoorlie-Port Augusta Railway .. ..	..	147,889	271,510	271,388	164,203	150,856
Port Augusta - Oodnadatta Railway .. ..	..	7,641	2,368	1,379	1,027	..
Darwin-Katharine River Railway .. ..	..	21,082	29,150	32,605	35,173	45,725
Sugar .. ..	..	..	5,202	431,690	20,390	6,547
Interest on Loans, Advances, &c. .. ..	..	44,591	167,178	749,480	471,096	1,479,050
Miscellaneous	19,148	149,449	154,989	105,000	1,345,790	507,718
Total	11,296,985	22,419,798	30,762,216	33,932,755	36,839,868	44,716,918
PER HEAD OF POPULATION—	£	£	£	£	£	£
Taxation	2 6 6	3 8 4	4 14 5	5 0 7	4 19 9	6 10 8
Total Revenue	2 19 1	4 10 9	6 4 9	6 19 9	7 9 3	8 17 9

DISBURSEMENTS.

Departments, &c.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.	1918-19.
GOVERNOR-GENERAL—	£	£	£	£	£
Salary	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000	10,000
Governor-General's Establishment, &c.	5,573	4,365	5,079	6,351	4,390
Contingencies	9,177	9,170	10,200	10,542	9,485
Total*	24,750	23,535	25,279	26,893	23,875
PARLIAMENT—					
Salaries of Ministers	12,000	13,597	13,650	14,901	15,300
Allowances to Senators	18,979	21,000	20,866	20,854	20,760
Allowances to Members of House of Representatives	39,556	43,132	39,072	42,796	42,261
Officers, Staff, Contingencies, &c.	36,347	37,746	36,771	39,583	37,584
Repairs, Maintenance, &c.	4,411	6,085	1,988	1,518	1,568
Printing	21,429	17,817	18,997	16,864	26,863
Travelling Expenses of Members and Others	10,173	10,458	10,339	9,950	8,913
Insurance	342	342	342	342	342
Electoral Office	49,815	49,155	53,091	53,717	53,159
Election Expenses	84,600	1,360	83,276	4,355	2,439
Referendum .. ..	..	21,334	77	..	
Administration of Electoral Act	57,691	34,687	60,100	27,425	31,460
Miscellaneous	5,262	6,684	5,491	5,159	5,044
Total	340,605	263,397	344,060	237,464	245,713

* Includes expenditure on cablegrams, &c., transmitted by the Governor-General on behalf of the Commonwealth Government.

Commonwealth Consolidated Revenue Fund—continued.

Departments, &c.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.	1918-19.
PRIME MINISTER—					
Salaries, Contingencies, &c. . .	14,086	13,349	21,690	25,764	33,328
High Commissioner's Office . . .	26,698	25,755	31,687	52,085	57,106
Public Service Commissioner's Office . . .	23,255	21,252	22,142	22,329	23,129
Audit Office	10,943	11,574	16,726	18,480	25,586
Executive Council	164	137	170	160	177
Shipping and Mails to Pacific Islands . . .	19,850	21,350	17,073	35,021	28,800
Advertising Australian resources . . .	24,219	3,873	..	..	..
Interest on Loans	16,754	19,795	22,274	23,467	25,781
Payments to Sinking Fund	2,433	2,433	2,433	2,433	2,433
Miscellaneous	11,516	23,850	18,013	54,828	34,833
Total	149,918	143,368	152,208	234,567	231,173
HOME AND TERRITORIES—					
Head Office	17,547	19,263	17,065	14,737	16,156
Lands and Surveys	20,981	17,670	15,556	14,448	15,935
Census and Statistics	15,936	15,796	18,505	15,013	16,248
Meteorological Bureau	25,614	25,302	27,499	25,971	28,209
Papua	44,126	50,543	61,746	51,918	51,260
Federal Territory . . . . .	..	196	962	24,805	24,142
Rents, Repairs, &c.	1,261	1,160	1,951	13,590	14,905
Interest on Transferred Properties . . .	..	..	..	..	678
Interest on Loans	12,640	17,710	20,039	21,666	23,909
Payments to Sinking Fund	1,988	1,996	1,996	1,996	1,996
Miscellaneous	29,120	17,949	25,773	20,197	17,247
Total	169,213	167,585	191,092	204,341	210,685
NORTHERN TERRITORY AND PORT AUGUSTA—					
OODNADATTA RAILWAY—					
Northern Territory Administrative Staff . . .	79,191	66,884	69,229	61,923	72,761
Lands and Surveys	19,319	14,624	10,988	10,174	8,608
Goldfields and Mining	20,360	21,506	31,838	17,678	16,611
Darwin—Katherine River Railway (Working Expenses)	28,705	52,395	61,016	56,144	52,815
Interest	145,525	158,429	146,185	146,369	155,265
Payments to Sinking Fund	8,400	9,377	9,098	9,093	6,295
Redemption of Loans . . . . .	..	181,625	5,750	..	..
Miscellaneous	4,402	13,869	6,931	4,920	4,722
PORT AUGUSTA-OODNADATTA RAILWAY—					
Loss on Working	16,009	29,339	30,551	37,259	25,792
Interest on Loans	87,705	85,936	85,288	80,962	81,350
Sinking Funds	4,812	6,463	6,350	6,093	4,398
Redemption of Loans . . . . .	..	22,750	137,128	..	..
Interest on S. Aust. Rolling Stock . . .	2,860	5,720	5,720	5,720	5,720
Miscellaneous . . . . .	..	522	16	661	554
Total	417,288	669,439	606,088	436,996	434,891
WORKS AND RAILWAYS—					
Administrative Staff	27,381	30,311	33,176	24,387	22,949
Public Works Staff and Supervision of Works	9,093	6,378	7,385	6,839	3,484
Kalgoorlie-Port Augusta Railway (Working Expenses)	215,966	275,759	302,550	232,726	237,204
Commonwealth Railways, Miscellaneous	15,874	16,570	14,635	4,691	1,875
Rent, Repairs, &c.	410	403	403	403	403
Interest on Transferred Properties	91,414	169,179	198,406	208,811	226,083
Interest on Loans	11,877	11,957	11,957	11,957	11,957
Payments to Sinking Funds	4,469	1,613	5,242	3,846	15,842
Miscellaneous (General) . . . . .	..	..	..	..	..
Total	376,484	512,170	573,754	500,257	527,462
ATTORNEY-GENERAL—					
Secretary's Office	5,852	10,457	13,880	10,189	11,510
Crown Solicitor's Office	8,371	10,078	10,766	11,255	12,943
Salaries of Justices of High Court	21,175	21,500	21,500	21,500	21,500
High Court Expenses	9,862	9,947	10,280	9,852	8,837
Court of Conciliation and Arbitration	3,586	8,637	11,068	7,900	6,242
Rent, Repairs, &c.	4,755	3,412	3,217	9,414	4,839
Patents, Trade Marks, &c.	23,485	20,579	21,856	19,253	23,875
Miscellaneous	1,380	1,554	1,628	7,567	4,940
Total	78,466	86,164	94,195	96,930	94,686

Commonwealth Consolidated Revenue Fund—continued.

Department, &c.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.	1918-19.
TREASURY—					
Treasury	26,291	26,996	32,318	29,391	32,072
Old-age Pensions—Salaries, &c.	46,421	42,796	52,214	53,391	61,406
Maternity Allowance Office	12,267	11,334	14,263	12,280	11,209
Government Printer	21,429	17,817	18,997	16,864	26,721
Rent, Repairs, &c.	6,654	17,103	15,487	20,491	18,715
Coinage	1,763	16,584	28,728	30,481	18,411
Invalid and Old-age Pensions	2,704,310	2,859,766	3,453,344	3,858,990	3,879,241
Taxation Office	78,737	131,089	198,023	281,524	311,330
Maternity Allowance	694,275	659,745	662,030	634,428	620,080
Interest on Loans	1,253	14	19,833	12,273	..
Payment to Sinking Fund	110	..	..	..	..
Miscellaneous	22,301	34,607	45,011	29,891	122,636
Total	3,615,811	3,817,851	4,540,248	4,980,004	5,101,821
TRADE AND CUSTOMS—					
Head Office	16,240	15,986	19,223	21,849	29,404
Customs (Ordinary)	354,205	323,309	344,303	339,698	350,253
Analyst	3,441	3,576	4,440	3,498	4,804
Fisheries	4,447	492	170	224	96
Audit (proportion)	7,427	6,722	5,786	4,525	4,617
Quarantine	32,057	38,804	46,251	50,748	150,820
Inter-State Commission	13,192	10,231	10,096	11,903	12,007
Institute of Science and Industry .....	..	344	3,589	6,961	13,130
Pensions and Retiring Allowances	16,041	14,524	16,215	16,545	17,213
Rent, Repairs, &c.	15,448	21,067	19,103	20,945	18,066
Sugar Bounties and Expenses	4	..	174	..	..
Bounties	28,286	6,767	2,995	15,418	30,461
Iron Bonus	15,072	24,465	11,454	..	..
Lighthouses .....	..	86,524	128,767	133,837	137,364
Interest on Transferred Properties	29,556	30,125	29,932	79,294	43,951
Interest on Loans .....	..	..	..	726	2,200
Miscellaneous	15,902	6,529	9,238	8,958	3,119
Total	551,318	589,465	651,736	715,129	817,505
MILITARY—					
Chief Office	46,441	49,267	50,163	47,143	..
Military Services	1,273,885	1,311,481	1,052,848	1,153,036	..
Audit (proportion)	5,486	11,117	21,548	8,407	..
Pensions and Retiring Allowances .....	..	363	191	380	380
Rent, Repairs, &c. ....	..	76,744	68,314	54,599	53,484
Interest on Transferred Properties	88,547	88,519	88,512	88,490	92,289
Interest on Loans .....	..	..	..	1,839	5,917
Miscellaneous .....	..	20,905	15,893	13,196*	32,203
Total	1,477,878	1,512,343	1,544,775	1,283,063	1,392,859
NAVY OFFICE—					
Chief Office .....	..	39,170	40,747	39,176	39,689
Naval	1,444,521	1,401,659	1,426,988	1,506,897	..
Audit (proportion)	1,166	1,272	1,017	1,711	..
Pensions and Retiring Allowances .....	..	899	899	899	1,012
Rent, Repairs, &c. ....	..	17,402	15,969	19,079	25,738
Interest on Transferred Properties	89,284	39,920	41,058	41,058	44,410
Interest on Loans	587	2,270	4,381	16,995	42,595
Payment to Sinking Fund .....	..	40	40	40	40
Miscellaneous .....	..	6,932	8,936	6,006	1,796
Total	1,526,978	1,552,320	1,514,961	1,551,258	1,663,888
POSTMASTER-GENERAL—					
Chief Office	23,606	21,400	22,821	21,960	23,189
Post, Telegraph, and Telephones	4,809,672	4,904,839	4,853,886	4,920,251	5,015,429
Audit (proportion)	3,955	3,670	2,981	2,635	2,888
Pensions and Retiring Allowances	48,073	53,358	55,877	59,174	64,720
Rent, Repairs, &c.	84,044	92,083	67,494	60,070	60,756
Interest on Transferred Properties	217,640	217,626	217,602	212,227	210,908
Interest on Loans	20,007	33,619	40,539	42,150	46,435
Payment to Sinking Fund .....	..	16,179	16,271	16,271	16,271
Miscellaneous .....	..	14,277	15,505	11,527	15,256
Total	5,237,453	5,358,371	5,288,998	5,349,994	5,449,722
Total Expenditure as above	13,966,162	14,696,008	15,527,394	15,616,896	16,194,280
New Works—Expenditure from Revenue	2,673,939	2,940,835	4,288,747	622,203	405,656
War Expenditure from Revenue	640,217	3,778,378	8,427,329	11,863,251	21,255,101
Total Expenditure from Revenue	17,280,318	21,415,221	28,243,470	28,102,350	37,855,037
Contribution to States	6,363,775	6,346,995	6,270,419	6,340,374	6,454,333
GRAND TOTAL	23,644,093	27,762,216	34,513,889	34,442,724	44,309,370

**SUMMARY OF COMMONWEALTH EXPENDITURE FROM REVENUE
AND FROM LOAN FUNDS.**

	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.	1918-19.
EXPENDITURE FROM REVENUE—					
Ordinary Services—		£	£	£	£
Interest on Transferred Properties ..	425,347	376,593	377,508	421,472	392,639
Interest on Loans ..	375,885	486,952	536,947	553,258	609,535
Sinking Funds ..	45,839	48,537	48,145	47,883	43,390
Redemption of Loans ..		204,375	142,878		
Other Ordinary Expenditure ..	13,119,091	13,579,551	14,421,916	14,592,283	15,148,716
New Works, &c. ..	2,673,939	2,940,835	4,288,747	622,203	405,656
	16,640,101	17,636,843	19,816,141	16,239,099	16,599,936
 War Services—					
Interest on Amount due to Imperial Government on Maintenance of Australian Troops ..					3,430,000*
Interest on Loans ..	115,145	1,858,714	4,820,931	7,052,105	10,087,461
Sinking Fund ..		200,777	1,167,127	761,191	1,200,713
Other Services ..	525,072	1,718,887	2,439,271	4,049,955	6,536,927
	640,217	3,778,378	8,427,329	11,863,251	21,255,101
Total Expenditure from Revenue ..	17,280,318	21,415,221	28,243,470	28,102,350	37,855,037
 EXPENDITURE FROM LOANS—					
Ordinary Purposes—					
New Works, &c. ..	2,139,362	2,458,418	..	1,803,447	1,090,483
Redemptions ..	15,077	400,923	..	..	339,408
	2,154,439	2,859,341	..	1,803,447	1,429,891
War Purposes ..	14,471,118	37,423,568	53,114,237	55,095,109	62,192,889
Total Expenditure from Loans ..	16,625,557	40,282,909	53,114,237	56,898,556	63,622,780
 Total Expenditure for Ordinary Services and Purposes ..	18,794,540	20,496,184	19,816,141	18,042,546	18,029,827
 Total Expenditure for War Purposes ..	15,111,335	41,201,946	61,541,566	66,958,360	83,447,990†
 Total Commonwealth Expenditure ..	33,905,875	61,698,130	81,357,707	85,000,906	101,477,817
 FROM REVENUE—					
Payment to States (Surplus Revenue Act)	6,273,775	6,256,995	6,180,419	6,250,374	6,364,333
Special Payment to Tasmania ..	90,000	90,000	90,000	90,000	90,000
 FROM LOANS—					
Loans to States ..	..	2,950,000	7,262,186	2,881,385	3,042,767

* Interest for two years from 1st July, 1917.

† It is estimated by the Commonwealth Treasurer that the accumulated War Expenditure to 30th June, 1920, will amount to £378,943,399.

COMMONWEALTH TRUST FUND INVESTMENTS,

31st MARCH, 1920.

AUSTRALIAN NOTES ACCOUNT.

Investment.	Amount.	Rate of Interest.	Date of Maturity.	Annual Amount of Interest.
	£	per cent.		£
Commonwealth Inscribed Stock ..	3,830,000	3½	1.4.1962 to 1.4.1972	134,050
,, ,, ,, (War Loan) ..	63,640	4½	15.12.1925	2,864
,, Treasury Bills ..	4,322,840	4	†	172,914
State Government Securities—				
N.S.W. Treasury Bills ..	7,400,000	4½	*	305,250
Victorian Government Debentures (face value, £800,000) ..	784,000	3½	1.5.1921	28,000
Victorian Government Debentures Securities ..	3,900,000	4½	*	160,875
South Australian Treasury Bills ..	583,000	5½	†	30,608
Western Australian Stock ..	2,600,000	4½	*	107,250
Western Australian Treasury Bills ..	590,000	3¾	1.1.1926	22,125
Western Australian Govt. Securities ..	3,100,000	4½	*	127,875
,, ,, Govt. Securities ..	335,000	5¼	†	17,587
Tasmanian Inscribed Stock ..	160,000	3¾	1.4.1921	17,250
,, Treasury Bills ..	300,000	3¾	1.10.1921	
,, Govt. Securities ..	1,000,000	4½	*	41,250
,, 469,000	469,000	5½	†	25,222
Queensland Govt. Debentures ..	1,490,000	5½	†	42,000
Fixed Deposits—				
Sundry Banks ..	5,428,200	3 to 4½	†	..
Total ..	36,355,680	..	..	..

* Treasury Bills maturing not later than 1925. The rate of interest to be that which including all charges it costs the Commonwealth to raise moneys for its own purposes. For present 4½ per cent. is being paid subject to adjustment. † Not yet fixed. ‡ The deposits are fixed for a period of 12 months, and are renewable at the option of the banks for a further period of 12 months until the due date is one year after the termination of the war. The advances are subject to various conditions of repayment.

OTHER FUNDS.

Investment.	Amount.	Rate of Interest.	Date of Maturity.	Annual Amount of Interest.
	£ s. d.	per cent.		£ s. d.
General Trust Funds—				
Commonwealth Inscribed Stock ..	609,370 0 0	3½	1.4.1962 to 1.4.1972	21,327 19 0
Victorian Govt. Debentures— (Face value, £2,900) ..	2,482 2 6	3	1.7.1921 to 1.1.1932	87 0 0
C'wealth Treasury Bills ..	3,862,000 0 0	4	Not yet fixed	154,480 0 0
C'wealth Inscribed Stock (War Issue) ..	8,460 0 0	5	15.9.1923	423 0 0
Repatriation of Australian Soldiers Contribution Account (Face value, £32,560) ..	31,191 6 6	5	15.9.1923	1,628 0 0
Silver and Bronze Bullion ..	192,124 11 2	..	..	..
Fidelity Guarantee Fund—				
War Savings Certificates	1,050 0 0	4½	30.1.1921	47 5 0

Commonwealth Trust Fund Investments—continued.

OTHER FUNDS—continued.

Investment.	Amount.	Rate of Interest.	Date of Maturity.	Annual Amount of Interest.
	£ s. d.	per cent.		£ s. d.
Sinking Funds—				
Northern Territory and Port Augusta Railway Loans—				
Commonwealth Inscribed Stock ..	77,060 0 0	3½	1962-1972	2,697 2 0
" " ..	21,500 0 0	4½	1925-1927	967 10 0
" " ..	14,800 0 0	5	15.9.1923	740 0 0
Loans Sinking Fund—				
Commonwealth Inscribed Stock ..	63,570 0 0	3½	1962-1972	2,224 19 0
" Treasury Bills ..	578,500 0 0	4½	1925-1927	26,032 10 0
" ..	176,070 0 0	4	*	7,042 16 0
Officers' Assurance—				
Commonwealth Inscribed Stock ..	2,420 0 0	4½, 5	Various	111 0 0
War Savings Certificates ..	1,050 0 0	4½	1920-1921	47 5 0
Lands Acquisition Act—				
Commonwealth Inscribed Stock ..	1,280 0 0	4½	15.12.1925	57 12 0
Norfolk Island Funds Investments—				
New South Wales Inscribed Stock ..	5,624 0 0	3, 3½, 4	Various to 1923	194 0 0
Total	5,648,552 0 2	..	..	218,107 18 0

LOAN EXPENDITURE.

	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.	1918-19.
Prime Minister's Department—	£	£	£	£	£
London Offices ..	19,274	113,745	..	69,991	46,120
Department of Home and Territories—					
Federal Capital—Acquisition of Land ..	36,770	127,537	..	90,704	1,395
Queanbeyan Railway Line ..	..	..	..	4,260	1,160
Acquisition of Land at Fairy Meadow ..	..	..	..	472	818
Papua—Railway and Wharfs ..	13,043	12,828	..	..	..
Department of Defence, Military—					
Purchase of Land for Defence purposes generally ..	..	..	..	28,250	27,458
Arsenal and Factories ..	..	..	..	79,664	76,099
Navy—					
Construction of Fleet ..	..	..	..	355,397	..
Dock Yard, Naval Bases, &c. ..	42,780	66,840	..	376,031	535,893
Purchase of Sites ..	..	..	..	8,783	21,816
Department of Trade and Customs—					
Purchase of Sites for Lighthouses ..	..	..	..	16	8,379
Purchase of Sites for Quarantine ..	..	..	..	99	7,838
Lighthouses ..	..	..	..	42,473	16,115
Department of Works and Railways—					
Railway—Kalgoorlie—Port Augusta ..	1,670,459	1,646,953	..	410,596	156,187
Contribution under River Murray Waters Act ..	..	..	..	..	55,760
Capital for Plant and Stores Suspense A/c ..	..	..	..	200,000	..
Postmaster-General's Department—					
Land for Post and Telegraph purposes ..	84,499	92,712	..	2,811	1,621
Perth General Post Office ..	..	..	..	24,347	18,291
Telegraphs and Telephones ..	178,143	271,211	..	67,375	116,760
Northern Territory and Port Augusta—Oodnadatta Railway—					
Railway—Pine Creek to Katharine River ..	94,392	126,592	..	16,317	Cr. 1,365
Railway—Darwin to Katharine River ..	..	..	..	25,861	138
Railway—Port Augusta to Oodnadatta ..	..	..	..	..	..
Redemption of Loans raised by Government of South Australia—					
On account of Northern Territory ..	..	400,000	..	..	339,408
On account of Port Augusta—Oodnadatta Railway ..	15,077	923	..	..	..
Total Ordinary Loans Expenditure ..	2,154,437	2,859,341	*	1,803,447	1,429,891
Total War Loans Expenditure ..	14,471,118	37,423,568	53,114,237	55,095,109	62,192,889
Loans to States—					
Victoria .. .. ..	..	650,000	1,135,500	91,634	Cr. 5
Queensland .. .. ..	..	1,200,000	1,783,654	1,177,241	1,106,360
South Australia .. .. ..	..	250,000	2,139,527	343,695	1,229,856
Western Australia .. .. ..	..	750,000	1,688,505	997,496	565,537
Tasmania .. .. ..	..	100,000	515,000	271,314	141,019
	..	2,950,000	7,262,186	2,881,380	3,042,767
Total Payments from Loan Funds ..	16,625,555	43,232,909	60,376,423	59,779,936	66,665,547

* All expenditure on Works, &c., during 1916-17 was paid from Revenue.

LOANS AND ADVANCES BY THE COMMONWEALTH GOVERNMENT TO THE GOVERNMENTS OF THE STATES AT 31st MARCH, 1920.

State.		Amount.
New South Wales ..	From Australian Notes Fund	7,400,000
	From other Trust Funds	5,624
	Advances for settling soldiers on the land	1,450,893
	Advances for construction of silos	650,000
		£ 9,506,517
Victoria	From Australian Notes Fund	5,267,000
	From other Trust Funds	2,482
	Under Loans to States Acts	1,954,000
	Advances for settling soldiers on the land	3,007,247
	Advances for construction of silos	1,160
		10,231,889
Queensland	From Australian Notes Fund	1,490,000
	Under Loans to States Acts	5,462,500
	Advances for settling soldiers on the land	637,558
		7,590,058
South Australia	From Australian Notes Fund	2,600,000
	Advances for settling soldiers on the land	307,447
	Under Loans to States Acts	4,116,000
		7,023,447
Western Australia	From Australian Notes Fund	4,025,000
	Under Loans to States Acts	4,150,500
	Advances for settling soldiers on the land	876,481
		9,051,981
Tasmania	From Australian Notes Fund	1,929,000
	Under Loans to States Acts	1,067,000
	Advances for settling soldiers on the land	980,375
		3,976,375
	Total	£ 47,380,267

AUSTRALIAN NOTES ACCOUNT, 31st MARCH, 1920.

Dr.	Cr.
Gold in Treasury .. £23,689,888	Circulation .. £56,774,573
Investments .. 36,355,680	Accumulation of interest .. £7,030,150
Advances to Mints for purchase of gold bullion .. 281,000	Less expenses 533,471
Balance 3,173,984	Due to Sundry Banks .. 6,496,679
£63,500,552	£229,300
	£63,500,552

COMMONWEALTH PUBLIC DEBT, 31st MARCH, 1920.

Commonwealth Inscribed Stock (3½ per cent.)	£4,580,000
Commonwealth Inscribed Stock and Bonds (4½ per cent. and 5 per cent. War Loan)	207,649,990
Commonwealth Inscribed Stock and Debentures (Loan raised for States), 5½ per cent. and 5½ per cent.	16,750,000
Commonwealth Treasury Bills (4 per cent.)	8,360,910
Commonwealth War Savings Certificates and Stamps	5,363,319
War Loan from British Government (3½ to 5 per cent.)	49,082,059
South Australian Debt transferred—	
On account Northern Territory	2,433,108
" Port Augusta-Oodnadatta Railway	1,759,003
Indebted to the Imperial Government for expenses of A.I.F.	37,139,000
	£333,117,389
Total	11,202,619
Value of properties transferred from States	800,000
Deferred Military Pay	£345,120,008

STATEMENT SHOWING THE AVERAGE VALUE OF AUSTRALIAN NOTES HELD BY THE BANKS AND THE PUBLIC SINCE AUGUST, 1914.

Average during—			Held by Banks.	Held by Public.	Total Note Issue.
1914 (August-December)	..	..	£ 7,743,210	£ 6,589,798	£ 14,333,008
1915	..	..	22,420,558	9,416,292	31,836,850
1916	..	..	30,902,866	13,481,173	44,384,039
1917	..	..	30,416,275	16,415,082	46,831,357
1918	..	..	35,022,516	18,524,293	53,546,809
1919	..	..	35,316,039	20,253,726	55,569,765
1920 January	..	..	35,031,514	21,397,457	56,428,971
February	..	..	35,400,286	21,295,517	56,695,803

COMMONWEALTH NOTES ISSUED AS AT UNDERMENTIONED DATES.

Denomination.	30th Dec., 1914.	29th Dec., 1915.	27th Dec., 1916.	26th Dec., 1917.	25th Dec., 1918.	31st Dec., 1919.	15th July, 1920.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
10/-	263,522	1,240,257	1,705,618	1,865,866	2,077,296	2,349,920	2,246,741
£1	6,634,085	9,997,406	11,842,524	12,922,303	14,026,276	14,873,984	14,378,214
£5	4,499,860	5,941,530	6,506,910	7,169,420	8,013,235	8,730,030	8,748,125
£10	1,871,120	2,256,470	2,632,130	2,970,960	3,543,220	4,044,210	4,069,390
£20	361,880	539,960	481,280	510,220	577,340	683,380	689,860
£50	1,166,450	1,143,000	1,185,800	1,194,900	1,384,650	1,478,650	1,558,800
£100	1,347,500	1,315,500	1,037,200	996,600	1,275,900	1,450,900	1,651,900
£1,000	3,687,000	19,332,000	21,269,000	20,271,000	28,148,000	22,992,000	23,606,000
Total	19,831,417	41,766,123	46,660,462	47,901,269	59,045,917	56,603,074	56,949,030
Gold Reserve	7,987,526	14,963,317	16,600,611	17,541,476	21,256,275	23,911,537	23,658,092
Per cent. of Reserve	40.27	35.86	35.58	36.62	35.99	42.24	41.54

OLD-AGE AND INVALID PENSIONS.

The Commonwealth commenced to pay Old-age Pensions on 1.7.1909, and Invalid Pensions on 15.12.1910.

State.	Number of Pensioners as at 31.3.20.			Number per 10,000 of Population.*	Average Fortnightly Pension as at 31.3.20.		Aggregate Annual Rate of Payment (approximate).		
	Old-age.	Invalid.	Total Old-age and Invalid.		Old-age.	Invali-d.	Old-age.	Invali-d.	
New South Wales	36,838	13,946	50,784	184	70	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	
Victoria	29,587	10,111	39,698	198	68	29 1	29 8	1,930,634 19 3	
Queensland	12,555	4,434	16,989	173	61	29 4	29 6	1,516,008 20 3	
South Australia	9,616	2,166	11,782	205	46	28 9	29 0	646,088 17 10	
Western Australia	4,756	1,705	6,461	143	51	29 0	29 5	441,056 18 10	
Tasmania	5,012	1,971	6,983	231	91	28 8	29 2	244,503 14 9	
Total	98,364	34,333	132,697	187	65	29 1	29 6	261,515 24 2	
								5,039,804 19 3	

* Population taken as at 31st December, 1919.

WAR PENSIONS.—Particulars as at 30th June, 1919.

	NUMBER OF PENSIONERS.				AVERAGE FORTNIGHTLY RATE OF PENSIONS.				
	Incapacitated Soldiers.	Dependants of Deceased Soldiers.	Dependants of Incapacitated Soldiers.	Total.	Incapacitated Soldiers.	Dependants of Deceased and Incapacitated Soldiers.	Total.	All Pensions.	
New South Wales ..	23,218	13,165	17,453	53,836	£ 1 11	s. 4	d. 0 19	8	1 4 9
Victoria ..	22,836	17,309	19,341	59,486	1 8	9	0 18	3	1 2 3
Queensland ..	8,899	4,325	6,065	19,289	1 11	9	0 18	9	1 4 9
South Australia ..	5,561	4,087	5,311	14,959	1 8	10	0 18	1	1 2 1
Western Australia ..	6,815	4,286	6,387	17,488	1 8	3	0 18	7	1 2 4
Tasmania ..	3,057	2,105	2,621	7,783	1 11	7	0 18	4	1 3 6
London ..	966	4,896	2,289	8,151	1 9	7	1 2	1	1 3 0
South Africa ..	17	34	32	83	1 12	11	1 13	11	1 5 9
New Zealand ..	141	226	78	445	1 9	5	1 4	9	1 6 7
Canada ..	2	3	4	9	1 12	6	0 17	5	0 18 3
	71,512	50,436	59,581	181,529	1 10	1	0 19	0	1 3 4

WAR PENSIONS EXPENDITURE, 1915-16-1918-19.

	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.	1918-19.
		£	£	£
New South Wales	39,449	359,349	844,685
Victoria	54,221	449,451	1,026,066
Queensland	12,802	108,314	294,013
South Australia	9,586	114,810	263,532
Western Australia	8,509	74,077	234,402
Tasmania	4,706	43,422	109,512
Elsewhere	8,647	..	..
		137,920	1,149,423	2,772,210
				4,828,072

NOTE.—The liability for War Pensions as at 30th June, 1919, was approximately £5,508,568.

COMMONWEALTH MATERNITY ALLOWANCES.

Number of Claims Passed for Payment.

The Maternity Allowance Act came into force on 10th October, 1912, and from that date until 30th June, 1920, the following Claims were passed for payment:—

Year ended 30th June.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W.A.	Tas- mania.	N.T.	Common- wealth.
1913*	..	No. 31,045	No. 22,746	No. 12,130	No. 7,546	No. 5,385	No. 3,611	No. 12
1914	..	51,239	36,060	19,710	12,743	9,190	6,033	82,475
1915	..	54,486	36,279	20,205	12,570	9,312	5,972	134,998
1916	..	51,541	34,468	19,754	11,730	8,752	5,670	138,855
1917	..	52,806	34,678	19,124	11,741	8,347	5,666	131,943
1918	..	51,008	32,195	19,378	11,341	7,527	5,384	132,407
1919	..	49,777	31,797	19,137	11,154	6,867	5,214	126,885
1920	..	49,660	33,339	18,898	11,464	7,441	5,546	124,016
Total	..	391,562	261,562	148,336	90,289	62,821	43,096	997,987

* Payment as from 10th October, 1912.

FEDERAL INCOME TAX, 1918-19.

Grade of Taxable Income.	Number of Taxpayers.	Tax Assessed.	Amount per Taxpayer.	Percentage of Total Tax Assessed.
Under £200 ..	282,600	489,005	1.730	4.5
£200 to £500 ..	60,353	578,883	9.592	5.3
£500 to £1,000 ..	26,589	818,149	30.770	7.5
£1,000 to £10,000 ..	17,882	4,770,926	266.800	44.0
£10,000 to £100,000 ..	756	3,734,534	4,939.860	34.4
Over £100,000 ..	20	464,883	23,244.150	4.3
TOTAL ALL INCOMES ..	388,200	10,856,380	27.966	100.0

COMMONWEALTH LAND TAX.

SALES AND PURCHASES OF LAND BY PERSONS WHO HAVE LODGED RETURNS.

SALES.

STATE.	TOWN LAND.		COUNTRY LAND.			TOTAL.	
	No. of Sales.	Un-improved Value.	No. of Sales.	Un-improved Value.	Area.	No. of Sales.	Un-improved Value.
Central* ..	1,855	£ 460,500	628	£ 1,116,049	773,563	2,483	£ 1,576,549
New South Wales ..	4,143	1,630,631	957	2,453,668	1,988,020	5,100	4,084,299
Victoria ..	2,114	824,948	960	1,394,572	340,544	3,074	2,219,520
Queensland ..	969	257,913	1,095	489,142	452,574	2,064	747,055
South Australia ..	567	192,699	507	1,013,304	552,265	1,074	1,206,003
Western Australia ..	685	70,559	123	24,711	32,502	808	95,270
Tasmania ..	266	76,059	184	209,591	104,905	450	285,650
TOTAL, 1916-17 ..	10,599	3,513,309	4,454	6,701,037	4,244,373	15,053	10,214,346
,, 1915-16 ..	10,511	4,054,840	3,799	8,178,209	4,587,293	14,310	12,233,049
,, 1914-15 ..	10,122	3,843,194	3,573	7,630,672	4,852,852	13,695	11,473,866
,, 1913-14 ..	20,416	5,834,316	4,264	7,510,844	3,942,075	24,680	13,345,160
,, 1912-13 ..	19,710	5,467,977	5,413	10,461,131	5,275,993	25,123	15,929,108
,, 1911-12 ..	22,915	7,451,532	6,392	14,608,001	8,208,656	29,307	22,059,533
,, 1910-11 ..	15,027	5,066,228	6,254	14,579,592	7,021,265	21,281	19,645,820

PURCHASES.

STATE.	TOWN LAND.		COUNTRY LAND.			TOTAL.	
	No. of Purchases.	Un-improved Value.	No. of Purchases.	Un-improved Value.	Area.	No. of Purchases.	Un-improved Value.
Central* ..	342	£ 411,195	281	£ 672,697	609,825	623	£ 1,083,892
New South Wales ..	613	943,653	471	1,478,749	2,026,524	1,084	2,422,402
Victoria ..	346	258,805	301	578,806	185,237	647	837,611
Queensland ..	138	137,276	137	197,662	181,491	275	334,938
South Australia ..	170	179,940	165	349,420	219,428	335	529,360
Western Australia ..	136	50,169	84	19,492	21,103	220	69,661
Tasmania ..	15	5,476	25	28,771	33,533	40	34,247
TOTAL, 1916-17 ..	1,760	1,986,514	1,464	3,325,597	3,277,141	3,224	5,312,111
,, 1915-16 ..	2,065	2,282,551	1,655	4,687,836	2,967,987	3,720	6,970,387
,, 1914-15 ..	1,893	2,472,720	1,597	4,706,768	2,926,425	3,490	7,179,488
,, 1913-14 ..	2,208	3,244,001	1,528	4,783,645	2,501,656	3,736	8,027,646
,, 1912-13 ..	2,567	3,662,246	2,158	6,845,591	4,000,272	4,725	10,507,837
,, 1911-12 ..	3,551	4,756,678	2,842	9,133,771	5,706,791	6,393	13,890,449
,, 1910-11 ..	2,340	3,367,427	2,520	9,316,086	4,975,456	4,860	12,683,513

* Central Office returns are those of persons owning land in more than one State.

COMMONWEALTH LAND TAX ASSESSMENTS, 1911-12—1915-16.

	1911-12.	1912-13.	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
NUMBER OF TAXPAYERS—					
Resident Owners	12,827	13,154	13,273	14,082	14,363
Absentee Owners	3,802	3,585	3,460	3,431	3,511
TOTAL	16,629	16,739	16,733	17,513	17,874
UNIMPROVED VALUE OF LAND AS RETURNED BY OWNERS—	£	£	£	£	£
Resident	179,615,366	177,922,403	179,485,826	185,456,174	186,523,366
Absentee	6,543,523	4,941,308	4,443,302	4,196,606	4,073,262
TOTAL	186,158,889	182,863,711	183,929,128	189,652,780	190,596,628
UNIMPROVED VALUE AS ASCERTAINED BY DEPARTMENT—					
Resident	183,884,035	189,822,942	190,886,769	196,947,899	200,294,063
Absentee	6,707,890	5,273,243	4,580,248	4,415,946	4,276,146
TOTAL	190,591,925	195,096,185	195,467,017	201,363,845	204,570,209
TAX ASSESSED ON—					
Urban Land—Resident Owners ..	474,291	536,055	544,182	825,339	763,678
Absentee Owners ..	51,164	39,817	39,347	37,807	36,680
TOTAL	525,455	575,872	583,529	863,146	800,358
Rural Land—Resident Owners ..	886,953	860,081	851,805	1,163,284	1,203,552
Absentee Owners ..	32,852	24,010	16,439	16,221	13,409
TOTAL	919,805	884,091	868,244	1,179,505	1,216,961
All Land—Resident Owners ..	1,361,244	1,396,136	1,395,985	1,988,624	1,967,230
Absentee Owners ..	84,016	63,827	55,788	54,027	50,089
TOTAL	1,445,260	1,459,963	1,451,773	2,042,651	2,017,319
AREA OF RURAL LAND ASSESSED acs.	63,648,925	64,027,662	63,780,759	149,271,228*	255,678,674*
ASSESSED TAX ON RURAL LAND per ac.	3.468d.	3.314d.	3.267d.	1.896d.	1.142d.

* The increased area is due to the extension of the tax to Crown leases.

COMMONWEALTH LAND TAX, 1910-11—1918-19.

Year ended 30th June.	Tax Assessed.	Fine Accrued.	Tax Received.	Fine Received.	Tax and Fine Outstanding.
	£	£	£	£	£
1911	1,523,855	8,496	1,522,857	8,448	1,046
1912	1,616,882	5,316	1,615,782	5,262	1,154
1913	1,581,462	5,491	1,576,296	5,424	5,233
1914	1,536,221	3,718	1,530,363	3,609	5,967
1915	2,356,062	3,656	2,232,835	3,539	123,344
1916	2,289,373	3,313	2,105,325	2,962	184,399
1917	2,193,831	3,415	2,006,332	2,649	188,265
1918	1,887,429	2,351	1,847,828	1,300	40,652
1919	1,976,786	3,744	1,764,751	79	215,700

PARTICULARS OF LOCAL AUSTRALIAN WAR LOANS.

	1st Issue. (Closed 31/8/15.)	2nd Issue. (Closed 31/1/16.)	3rd Issue. (Closed 2/9/16.)	4th Issue. (Closed 8/2/17.)	5th Issue. (Closed 2/11/17.)	6th Issue. (Closed 10/4/18.)	7th Issue. (Closed 15/10/18.)	8th Issue. (Closed 7/10/19.)
No. of Applications—								
For Inscribed Stock ..	8,603	12,450	13,660	13,666	9,882	26,330	16,303	9,209
Treasury Bonds ..	10,145	16,495	88,382	53,806	31,826	117,534	226,891	87,566
Total ..	18,748	28,945	102,042	67,472	41,708	143,864	243,194	96,775
Amount, £1,000—	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Inscribed Stock ..	9,581	16,272	15,418	14,695	14,277	18,611	14,887	11,475
Treasury Bonds ..	3,808	5,384	8,170	6,889	6,937	24,340	29,197	13,550
Total ..	13,389	21,656	23,588	21,584	21,214	42,951	44,084	25,025
Accrued interest ..	221,502	324,170	326,887	254,072	239,320	496,355	360,955	456,439
Expenses of flotation ..	35,451	50,652	52,278	45,795	53,317	122,257	140,283	95,213
Total Deductions ..	256,953	374,822	379,165	299,867	292,637	618,612	501,238	551,652
Net proceeds of loan, £1,000	13,132	21,281	23,208	21,284	20,921	42,332	43,583	24,474

TAXATION BY COMMONWEALTH AND STATE GOVERNMENTS,
1909-10 to 1918-19.

Year ended 30th June.	Taxation by Commonwealth Government.		Taxation by State Governments (Direct).	Total Taxation.
	Indirect.	Direct.		
	£	£		
1910	11,593,164	..	4,017,660	15,610,824
1911	12,980,444	1,370,344	4,195,485	18,546,273
1912	14,710,136	1,366,457	5,419,668	21,496,261
1913	15,553,034	1,564,794	5,065,213	22,183,041
1914	14,978,070	1,609,836	6,304,836	22,892,742
1915	14,877,254	1,993,342	7,000,395	23,870,991
1916	16,934,103	6,599,426	8,141,746	31,675,275
1917	15,610,287	8,916,753	8,998,077	33,525,117
1918	13,224,312	11,382,431	9,932,183	34,538,926
1919	17,426,970	15,437,516	11,971,254	44,835,740

TAXATION BY COMMONWEALTH AND STATE GOVERNMENTS PER HEAD
1909-10 to 1918-19.

Year ended 30th June.	Taxation by Commonwealth Government.			Taxation by State Governments (Direct).	Total Taxation.		
	Indirect.	Direct.					
	£	s.	d.				
1910	2	13	8	..	0 18 7		
1911	2	18	8	0 6 2	0 19 0		
1912	3	4	4	0 6 0	1 3 9		
1913	3	5	9	0 6 7	1 1 5		
1914	3	1	6	0 6 7	1 5 11		
1915	3	0	3	0 8 1	1 8 3		
1916	3	8	8	1 6 9	1 13 0		
1917	3	4	0	1 16 7	1 16 11		
1918	2	13	7	2 6 2	2 0 3		
1919	3	9	4	3 1 4	2 7 7		

State Finance.

CONSOLIDATED REVENUE FUNDS OF STATES.

REVENUE, 1916-17.

Sources of Revenue.	New South Wales.	Victoria.	Queens-land.	South Aust.	Western Aust.	Tasmania.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Taxation ..	3,629,404	2,237,016	1,564,044	726,645	402,336	438,632	8,998,077
Railways and Tramways ..	10,390,602	5,882,968	3,834,436	2,294,368	2,004,148	340,173	24,746,695
Land—Sales ..	977,884	168,193	262,450	109,605	282,223	60,399	1,860,754
Rentals ..	769,125	133,838	700,503	155,172	47,925	31,344	1,837,907
Commonwealth Subsidy ..	2,286,913	1,722,409	820,604	531,340	569,982	(a)336,004	6,267,252
All other Sources ..	2,483,907	1,669,455	698,856	1,057,473	1,270,393	162,816	7,342,900
Total Revenue ..	20,537,835	11,813,879	7,880,893	4,874,603	4,577,007	1,369,368	51,053,585
Total Revenue per head ..	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
	11 1 0	8 8 9	11 15 4	11 5 9	14 16 5	6 17 0	10 9 5

(a) Includes special grant.

1917-18.

	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Taxation ..	3,860,501	2,310,723	1,761,232	1,016,887	449,457	533,383	9,932,183
Railways and Tramways ..	10,821,648	6,615,914	4,020,753	2,344,584	1,970,333	357,640	26,130,872
Land—Sales ..	1,074,486	153,788	276,182	116,704	257,368	56,823	1,935,351
Rentals ..	786,974	138,685	840,466	142,255	58,539	34,368	2,001,287
Commonwealth Subsidy ..	2,317,783	1,739,481	842,858	535,808	599,239	(a)340,260	6,375,429
All other Sources ..	2,715,837	1,714,196	749,991	1,369,988	1,287,600	180,573	8,018,185
Total Revenue ..	21,577,229	12,672,787	8,491,482	5,526,226	4,622,536	1,503,047	54,393,307
Total Revenue per head ..	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
	11 9 7	8 19 7	12 6 8	12 13 4	14 18 9	7 8 0	11 0 5

(a) Includes special grant.

1918-19.

	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Taxation ..	4,083,990	2,744,946	2,772,269	1,185,451	629,061	555,537	11,971,254
Railways and Tramways ..	12,183,026	6,422,133	3,983,077	2,379,808	2,012,811	397,146	27,378,001
Land—Sales ..	1,059,923	138,648	{ 1,083,853	{ 151,116	300,604	50,686	{ 3,918,910
Rentals ..	768,484	146,988	{ 139,262	{ 44,461	34,885	{ 34,885	{ 3,918,910
Commonwealth Subsidy ..	2,380,139	1,764,239	853,367	549,593	556,505	(a)347,557	6,451,400
All other Sources ..	2,972,604	1,827,134	722,977	1,393,083	1,401,408	196,173	8,513,379
Total Revenue ..	23,448,166	13,044,088	9,415,543	5,798,313	4,944,850	1,581,984	58,232,944
Total Revenue per head ..	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
	12 3 0	9 2 4	13 11 2	13 0 2	15 15 6	7 11 6	11 11 6

(a) Includes special grant.

EXPENDITURE, 1916-17.

Heads of Expenditure.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Queens-land.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Interest and Charges on Public Debt ..	5,119,211	3,063,998	2,278,832	1,474,275	1,765,839	608,779	14,310,934
Railways and Tramways (exclusive of Construction) ..	7,605,046	4,308,990	3,003,743	1,736,423	1,554,704	293,018	18,501,924
All other Expenditure ..	8,082,376	4,422,307	2,851,812	1,979,755	1,956,221	511,096	19,803,567
Total Expenditure	20,806,633	11,795,295	8,134,387	5,190,453	5,276,764	1,412,893	52,616,425
Total Expenditure per head ..	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
	11 3 11	8 8 6	12 3 0	12 0 5	17 1 9	7 1 4	10 15 10

EXPENDITURE, 1917-18.

Heads of Expenditure.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Queens-land.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Interest and Charges on Public Debt ..	5,220,307	3,309,936	2,454,863	1,710,590	1,879,051	638,788	15,213,535
Railways and Tramways (exclusive of Construction) ..	7,580,342	4,475,717	3,420,764	1,775,504	1,559,581	305,007	19,116,915
All other Expenditure ..	8,752,756	4,845,516	3,025,307	2,014,325	1,889,647	515,953	21,043,504
Total Expenditure	21,553,405	12,631,169	8,900,934	5,500,419	5,328,279	1,459,748	55,373,954
Total Expenditure per head ..	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
	11 9 3	8 19 0	12 18 6	12 12 2	17 4 5	7 3 8	11 4 5

1918-19.

Heads of Expenditure.	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Interest and Charges on Public Debt ..	5,493,067	3,388,525	2,557,687	1,753,801	1,976,876	687,771	15,857,727
Railways and Tramways (exclusive of Construction) ..	8,729,567	4,261,082	3,701,134	1,866,712	1,679,812	340,190	20,578,497
All other Expenditure ..	9,010,764	5,373,800	3,328,711	2,256,298	1,940,176	616,551	22,526,300
Total Expenditure	23,233,398	13,023,407	9,587,532	5,876,811	5,596,864	1,644,512	58,962,524
Total Expenditure per head ..	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
	12 0 9	9 2 0	13 16 2	13 3 8	17 17 1	7 17 6	11 14 5

LOANS EXPENDITURE DURING THE YEAR 1918-19.

Heads of Expenditure.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Queens-land.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Total.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Railways and Tramways ..	1,543,857	878,384	1,416,302	324,041	161,959	39,165	4,363,708
Water Supply, Water Conservation, and Sewerage	1,027,708	412,267	64,131	428,084	46,636	..	1,978,826
Harbors, Rivers, and Lights	297,304	13,801	..	117,078	69,948	..	997,334
Roads and Bridges ..	12,346	360,524	..	22,008	4,310	100,015	
Land Purchased for Settlement ..	..	1,157,230	..	(a)6,465	138,135	208,533	1,497,433
Public Buildings, including State Schools ..	47,281	642	114,131	42,057	21,570	30,624	256,305
All other purposes ..	990,391	109,673	1,141,848	1,079,363	607,178	196,717	4,125,170
Total ..	3,918,887	2,932,521	2,736,412	2,006,166	1,049,736	575,054	13,218,776
Loans Expenditure per head ..	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
	2 0 7	2 0 10	3 18 10	4 10 0	3 7 0	2 15 1	2 12 7

AGGREGATE LOANS EXPENDITURE TO 30TH JUNE, 1919.

Railways and Tramways ..	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.	£1,000.
Telegraphs and Telephones	90,405	55,550	39,855	20,963	17,975	5,506	230,254
Water Supply, Water Conservation, and Sewerage	1,762	..	996	992	..	142	3,892
Harbors, Rivers, and Lights	25,969	12,804	3,149	9,780	4,932	..	56,634
Roads and Bridges ..	15,124	925	2,422	3,678	3,711	..	37,648
Public Buildings, including State Schools ..	1,834	1,943	932	1,743	376	4,960	
Land Purchased for Settlement ..	489	6,469	..	1,982	608	622	10,170
Defence ..	1,458	149	363	292	..	128	2,390
All other purposes ..	2,762	7,467	8,523	6,773	9,344	3,023	37,892
Total ..	147,781	87,717	58,291	47,756	37,765	15,627	394,937

(a) Repayment.

LOANS RAISED IN LONDON BY THE SEVERAL STATES DURING THE FIVE YEARS ENDED 30th JUNE, 1919.

Date of Flotation.	Face Value of Loan.	Rate of Interest Payable.	Fixed Price Per Cent.	Flotation Expenses.		Accrued Interest.		Net Proceeds (excluding Accrued Interest).		When Redeemable.
				Amount.	% on Face Value.	Amount.	% on Face Value.	Amount.	% on Face Value.	

NEW SOUTH WALES.

6/2/1915	..	2,000,000	4½	£ 99½	% 38,066	£ 1.903	% ..	£ 1,951,934	% 97.596	1/3/1920
15/10/1914	..	1,900,000	4 dis.	98½	% 1,750	% .175	% ..	985,749	% 98.575	15/10/1915
25/11/1914	..	1,750,000	4½	100	% 3,063	% .175	% ..	1,746,937	% 99.823	25/5/1915
14/6/1915	..	5,000,000	4½	99½	% 109,202	% 2.108	% .020	4,856,783	% 97.436	1/7/1927, option after 1/7/1922
7/1/1916	..	2,000,000	5	99	% 58,000	% 2.900	% .298	1,922,000	% 96.100	1/7/1923, " " 1/7/1921
15/8/1916	..	2,500,000	5½	Par	% 65,624	% 2.625	% .364	2,420,090	% 96.800	15/8/1922, " " 15/8/1920
14/5/1917	..	3,000,000	5½	98	% 67,977	% 2.266	% ..	2,864,784	% 95.493	1/6/1927, " " 1/6/1922
28/11/1917	..	3,000,000	5½	99½	% 66,667	% 2.222	% ..	2,918,000	% 97.267	1/7/1935, " " 1/1/1925
11/2/1918	..	10,076,000	5½	Par	% 118,769	% 1.179	% .266	9,911,477	% 98.358	1/11/1932, " " 1/11/1922
July, 1918	..	3,000,000	5½	Par	% 54,483	% 1.816	% .18	†	†	" " " "
January, 1919	..	3,000,000	5½	99½	% 54,781	% 1.826	% ..	2,914,638	% 97.155	1/6/1927, " " 1/6/1922

VICTORIA.

1/10/1915	..	100,000	5½	Par	† 41,376	† 1.839	† 8,098	.360	† 2,209,223	† 98.170	Various
26/4/1915	..	2,250,000	4½	Par	†	†	†	†	†	†	1/4/1925, option after 1/4/1920
Various	..	500,000	5½	Par	†	†	†	†	†	†	Various

QUEENSLAND.

February, 1915* ..	11,728,800	4½	99	103,324	0.881	11,508,237	98.126	1/4/1925, option after 1/4/1920
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SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

29/10/1915	..	2,000,000	5	99	†	†	†	†	†	1/4/1923, option after 1/4/1921
21/3/1917*	..	1,400,000	5½	97	28,139	2.010	3,392	.242	1,326,469	94.748 1/4/1927, " " 1/4/1922

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

1914/15 various ..	154,000	4½	Par	154,000	100.000	1/1/1924 to 1/1/1934
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TASMANIA.

January, 1915 ..	137,750	4½	Par	†	†	†	†	†	†	1/1/1935
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* Redemption Loan.

† Not available.

**TOTAL PUBLIC DEBTS OF THE SEVERAL STATES ON 30th JUNE,
1901 to 1919.**

Year. ended June 30.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Queensland.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania.	Total.
1901 ..	£ 67,361,246	£ 50,071,275	£ 38,416,514	£ 26,448,805	£ 12,709,430	£ 8,511,005	£ 203,518,275
1905 ..	82,321,998	51,763,767	41,764,467	28,773,695	16,642,773	9,471,971	230,738,671
1910 ..	92,525,095	55,576,725	44,276,067	31,387,870	23,287,453	10,570,453	257,623,663
1911 ..	95,523,926	57,983,764	44,618,197	28,326,806	23,703,953	11,077,790	261,229,436
1912 ..	100,052,635	60,737,216	47,068,186	29,440,113	26,283,523	11,302,411	274,884,084
1913 ..	106,170,747	62,776,724	53,604,733	30,147,883	30,276,436	11,495,963	294,472,486
1914 ..	116,695,031	66,130,726	54,523,506	33,564,332	34,420,181	12,265,012	317,598,788
1915 ..	127,735,405	73,083,927	56,869,046	35,081,623	37,022,622	13,133,046	342,925,669
1916 ..	130,514,018	76,775,032	58,732,843	37,993,289	39,889,676	13,908,913	357,813,771
1917 ..	138,138,347	78,125,395	61,303,136	39,364,280	40,914,826	14,671,640	372,517,624
1918 ..	152,584,693†	79,595,646	62,296,986	40,621,480	42,304,001	15,137,355	392,540,161
1919 ..	147,174,536	82,031,929	65,581,121	42,650,206	43,637,076	15,281,281	396,356,149
Increase since 1901	79,813,290	31,960,654	27,164,607	16,201,401	30,927,646	6,770,276	192,837,874

† Includes Stock raised in February, 1918, for the redemption of loans maturing in September, 1918.

PUBLIC DEBT AS ON 30TH JUNE, 1919.

Particulars.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Queens- land.	South Australia.	Western Australia.	Tasmania.	Total.
Floated in London ..	£ 98,989,891	£ 43,400,300	£ 51,855,647	£ 23,034,057	£ 31,008,858	£ 9,911,250	£ 258,200,003
Floated in Australia ..	48,184,645	38,631,629	13,725,474	19,616,149	12,628,218	5,370,031	138,156,146
Total Gross Debt ..	147,174,536	82,031,929	65,581,121	42,650,206	43,637,076	15,281,281	396,356,149
Sinking Funds ..	388,259	2,600,778	385,540	1,509,930	6,139,008	646,197	11,669,712
Total Net Debt ..	146,786,277	79,431,151	65,195,581	41,140,276	37,498,068	14,635,084	384,686,437
Total Net Debt per head ..	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
	74 15 3	54 2 9	91 9 2	90 4 7	116 0 10	69 8 0	74 16 8

**AMOUNT OF THE AGGREGATE PUBLIC DEBTS OF THE STATES OF THE
COMMONWEALTH BEARING INTEREST AT THE VARIOUS RATES AT
30th JUNE, 1901 to 1919.**

Rate of Interest.	1901.	1905.	1910.	1915.	1916.	1917.	1918.	1919.	Increase since 1901.
%	£1,000. 804	£1,000. 384	£1,000. 209	£1,000. 50	£1,000. 40	£1,000. 20	£1,000. 2	£1,000.	£1,000. 804
6 ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	13,076	16,076	16,076
5½ ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	10,180	21,178	21,178
5½ ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	6,695	8,446	7,222
5½ ..	1,224	243	243	2,147	2,950	..	..	17	17
5 ..	..	..	..	..	6,990	14,629	17,457	18,031	18,031
4½ ..	..	..	..	..	20	20	20	20	20
4½ ..	..	..	..	..	..	105	105	7,189	7,189
4½ ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	20	20
4½ ..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
4½ ..	5,079	67	53	25,280	28,155	32,245	37,747	33,558	28,479
4½ ..	..	..	..	300	600	600	400	350	350
4½ ..	..	..	..	291	771	900	801	646	646
4½ ..	..	..	..	10,625	18,000	18,000	18,000	18,000	18,000
4 ..	93,670	103,945	76,983	100,551	97,966	95,382	93,220	93,448	— 222
3½ ..	..	1,825	10,897	26,372	25,989	24,716	24,377	23,835	23,835
3½ ..	65,727	74,795	121,988	130,393	129,733	127,147	124,075	109,187	43,460
3½ ..	275	289	75	25	25	25	25	25	— 250
3 ..	36,733	49,181	47,162	46,543	46,566	46,425	46,352	46,324	9,591
Without Interest ..	6	10	14	349	8	18	8	6	..
Total Debt all States ..	203,518	230,739	257,624	342,926	357,813	372,517	392,540	396,356	192,838

NOTE.—Minus sign (—) denotes decrease.

**PUBLIC DEBT PER HEAD OF POPULATION OF THE SEVERAL
STATES ON 30th JUNE, 1901 to 1919.**

30th June.		N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'nslnd.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	All States.
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901	..	49,467	41,622	76,484	73,298	67,400	49,568	53,726
1905	..	55,290	42,966	78,882	79,147	67,197	51,660	57,698
1910	..	56,619	43,464	74,365	78,697	85,878	55,691	58,988
1911	..	57,780	43,693	72,282	82,735	82,355	58,693	59,524
1912	..	57,589	44,850	74,240	69,924	86,920	59,480	59,250
1913	..	58,742	45,150	81,680	69,520	96,420	59,100	61,325
1914	..	62,889	46,506	80,320	76,595	106,251	62,340	64,520
1915	..	68,320	51,250	82,440	80,080	114,800	66,190	69,260
1916	..	70,295	54,605	85,420	87,620	126,750	70,405	72,975
1917	..	73,934	55,630	89,979	91,938	132,612	74,348	76,086
1918	..	79,815	56,173	89,997	92,474	135,973	74,626	78,814
1919	..	74,762	54,540	91,458	90,308	116,040	69,400	75,079
Increase since 1901		25.295	12.918	13.974	17.010	48.640	19.832	21.353

**ACCRUED PUBLIC DEBT SINKING FUNDS OF THE SEVERAL STATES
ON 30th JUNE, 1901 to 1919.**

30th June.		N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'nslnd.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	Total.
		£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901	..	386,383	208,284	..	32,879	429,227	169,546	1,226,319
1905	..	439,034	315,554	..	133,149	1,073,844	214,171	2,175,752
1910	..	331,308	851,085	..	650,100	2,569,707	374,806	4,777,006
1911	..	504,921	1,017,866	..	616,956	2,888,035	414,601	5,442,379
1912	..	653,981	1,131,531	15,000	561,550	2,918,733	420,972	5,701,767
1913	..	381,893	1,226,667	51,347	299,567	3,309,345	496,031	5,764,850
1914	..	391,349	1,439,511	100,056	1,608,265	3,692,103	553,676	7,784,960
1915	..	414,264	1,443,534	170,246	1,546,731	4,068,888	706,265	8,349,928
1916	..	474,178	1,757,791	258,896	1,318,500	4,528,432	838,372	9,176,169
1917	..	463,629	1,981,903	354,284	1,545,213	5,035,963	765,489	10,146,481
1918	..	494,163	2,186,078	369,522	1,533,973	5,570,851	878,737	11,033,324
1919	..	388,259	2,600,778	385,540	1,509,930	3,139,008	646,197	11,669,712
Increase since 1901		1,876	2,392,494	385,540	1,477,051	5,709,781	476,651	10,443,393

ANNUAL AMOUNT OF INTEREST PAYABLE ON THE PUBLIC DEBTS OF THE SEVERAL STATES AS EXISTING ON THE 30th JUNE, 1901 to 1919.

30th June.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'nslnd.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	All States.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1901 ..	2,429,983	1,894,503	1,378,243	997,070	437,874	317,359	7,455,032
1905 ..	2,937,150	1,883,500	1,529,382	1,081,025	570,241	348,258	8,349,556
1910 ..	3,250,129	1,980,100	1,634,786	1,147,359	803,301	386,234	9,201,909
1911 ..	3,363,584	2,054,363	1,646,586	1,251,744	810,101	407,311	9,533,689
1912 ..	3,531,528	2,151,559	1,731,141	1,064,663	910,110	412,536	9,801,537
1913 ..	3,786,842	2,223,928	1,985,113	1,095,399	1,069,310	425,796	10,586,388
1914 ..	4,205,771	2,354,744	2,026,805	1,234,482	1,235,539	457,504	11,514,845
1915 ..	4,728,886	2,646,901	2,166,678	1,296,986	1,343,605	493,861	12,676,917
1916 ..	4,848,967	2,828,001	2,267,947	1,489,103	1,478,301	528,969	13,441,288
1917 ..	5,257,546	2,931,265	2,396,340	1,546,229	1,549,854	574,982	14,256,216
1918 ..	6,077,448	3,057,269	2,445,780	1,635,421	1,615,167	601,104	15,432,189
1919 ..	6,037,202	3,178,607	2,638,310	1,761,902	1,684,681	615,603	15,916,305
Increase since 1901	3,607,219	1,284,104	1,260,067	764,832	1,246,807	298,244	8,461,273

AVERAGE RATES OF INTEREST PAYABLE ON THE PUBLIC DEBTS OF THE SEVERAL STATES ON 30th JUNE, 1901 to 1919.

30th June.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'nslnd.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	All States.
	%	%	%	%	%	%	%
1901 ..	3.608	3.749	3.735	3.770	3.445	3.729	3.682
1905 ..	3.568	3.639	3.706	3.757	3.426	3.677	3.627
1910 ..	3.513	3.563	3.692	3.655	3.450	3.654	3.572
1911 ..	3.522	3.543	3.691	3.657	3.418	3.677	3.569
1912 ..	3.529	3.543	3.675	3.616	3.463	3.650	3.567
1913 ..	3.567	3.542	3.703	3.633	3.532	3.704	3.595
1914 ..	3.604	3.561	3.716	3.677	3.590	3.730	3.626
1915 ..	3.702	3.621	3.810	3.700	3.628	3.760	3.697
1916 ..	3.715	3.683	3.861	3.919	3.706	3.804	3.756
1917 ..	3.806	3.752	3.909	3.928	3.788	3.919	3.829
1918 ..	3.983	3.841	3.926	4.026	3.818	3.971	3.925
1919 ..	4.127	3.874	4.023	4.131	3.860	4.029	4.015
Increase since 1901	0.519	0.125	2.088	0.361	0.415	0.300	0.333

CHEQUE-PAYING BANKS (Formerly Banks of Issue).

PAID-UP CAPITAL, £34,686,170; RESERVED PROFITS, £18,736,169.

LIABILITIES IN THE COMMONWEALTH, 1910-1919.

Quarter ended 30th June.	Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Balances due to Other Banks.	Deposits.			Total Liabilities.
				Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1910 ..	3,748,482	821,758	570,115	55,233,862	74,657,274	129,891,136	135,031,491
1911 ..	2,718,458	928,663	741,188	62,226,897	81,220,013	143,446,910	148,835,219
1912 ..	536,984	1,002,062	872,946	65,408,841	84,397,756	149,806,597	152,218,589
1913 (a) ..	368,975	894,095	2,492,229	62,012,773	87,814,795	149,827,568	153,582,867
1914 (a) ..	306,809	1,089,548	2,750,788	70,195,462	93,650,093	163,854,555	168,001,700
1915 (a) ..	275,589	1,140,592	3,347,646	75,380,916	99,598,420	174,979,336	179,743,163
1916 (a) ..	257,621	1,263,622	4,389,228	92,821,872	100,118,758	192,940,620	198,851,101
1917 (a) ..	244,840	1,439,106	3,660,970	105,465,711	103,826,948	209,292,659	214,637,575
1918 (a) ..	229,639	1,726,045	4,486,497	112,262,321	112,504,432	224,766,753	231,208,934
1919 (a) ..	221,755	1,813,390	6,540,609	118,988,567	130,069,687	249,058,254	257,634,008
31/3/20 (a)	215,753	2,194,134	5,153,332	130,037,202	128,354,809	258,392,011	265,955,230

(a) Includes statistics for the Commonwealth Bank.

ASSETS IN THE COMMONWEALTH, 1910-1919.

Quarter ended 30th June.	Coin.	Bullion.	Australian Notes.	Land and Other Property.	Notes and Bills of Other Banks. ^a	Balances due from Other Banks.	All Other Debts due to the Banks.(b)	Total Assets.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1910 ..	28,826,729	1,322,899	1,140,065	5,137,478	4,919,991	973,161	1,343,669	101,371,817
1911 ..	32,330,705	1,104,644	5,434,819	4,956,593	4,937,437	1,279,714	1,698,097	113,041,947
1912 ..	27,581,368	1,118,879	4,853,709	4,983,882	5,168,958	1,761,701	123,763,173	159,565,443
1913 (a) ..	30,133,187	1,024,100	5,036,516	4,592,951	4,983,882	1,333,780	3,211,812	118,919,665
1914 (a) ..	33,385,924	1,052,979	20,473,229	5,064,575	5,237,167	1,785,498	4,737,862	164,554,914
1915 (a) ..	33,850,144	1,052,979	20,473,229	5,064,575	5,237,167	1,785,498	4,737,862	175,449,306
1916 (a) ..	26,957,576	843,214	30,511,219	5,237,167	5,237,167	1,736,796	5,526,231	148,721,356
1917 (a) ..	21,696,820	1,158,007	30,946,645	5,288,199	5,288,199	2,035,308	5,429,884	219,553,559
1918 (a) ..	21,518,264	889,032	33,952,572	5,300,834	5,300,834	2,149,799	6,087,990	212,503,641
1919 (a) ..	21,341,026	793,883	35,759,107	5,215,550	5,215,550	2,274,422	7,798,735	166,433,989
31/3/20 (a)	20,994,177	595,784	35,056,346	5,326,472	5,326,472	2,799,283	7,461,030	236,332,480
								277,950,736
								257,525,846

(a) Includes statistics for the Commonwealth Bank. (b) Including Government and municipal securities for quarter ended 30th June, 1910, £3,530,890; 1911, £4,187,717; 1912, £4,514,964; 1913, £5,438,217; 1914, £7,377,245; 1915, £10,817,307; 1916, £15,385,325; 1917, £22,015,637; 1918, £26,023,531; 1919, £26,815,188; and 31st March, 1920, £31,634,174.

SAVINGS BANKS.

End of Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tasmania.	N. Terr.	Total.
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NUMBER OF DEPOSITORS.

1909-10 ..	460,251	560,515	114,720	*201,275	*86,166	60,646	..	1,483,573
1910-1 ..	498,658	595,424	127,219	*216,480	*99,017	63,314	..	1,600,112
1911-2 ..	544,023	641,736	139,091	*232,971	*111,078	67,105	..	1,736,004
1912-3 [‡] ..	619,224	*703,084	168,438	*251,963	*121,201	70,402	228	1,934,540
1913-4 [‡] ..	693,618	*735,400	201,163	*267,805	*134,510	76,000	292	2,108,788
1914-5 [‡] ..	755,835	*781,490	229,023	*282,169	*144,777	80,446	716	2,274,456
1915-6 [‡] ..	806,882	*821,208	249,235	*299,308	*157,355	86,489	1,139	2,421,616
1916-7 [‡] ..	*872,351	*869,058	281,585	*319,960	*172,084	91,680	1,366	2,608,084
1917-8 [‡] ..	*920,337	*913,875	313,248	*337,709	*182,140	95,154	1,274	2,763,737
1918-9 [‡] ..	*984,951	*966,543	343,424	*357,310	*192,879	99,565	1,167	2,945,839
31/3/20 [‡]	*1,036,112	*1,002,186	359,549	*373,742	*200,935	103,123	1,100	3,076,747

AMOUNT ON DEPOSIT.

1909-10 ..	£ 20,150,574	£ 15,417,888	£ 5,622,986	£ 6,791,320	£ 3,481,764	£ 1,652,966	..	£ 53,117,498
1910-1 ..	22,453,924	17,274,423	6,376,969	7,435,772	4,092,504	1,760,090	..	59,393,682
1911-2 ..	25,361,338	19,662,465	7,342,811	8,248,396	4,408,320	1,933,448	..	66,956,778
1912-3 [‡] ..	28,862,592	22,232,196	8,668,284	8,766,182	4,682,738	2,036,211	13,151	75,261,354
1913-4 [‡] ..	32,363,069	24,533,519	10,166,946	9,366,490	4,932,895	2,178,305	18,709	83,559,933
1914-5 [‡] ..	35,562,649	26,996,025	11,972,965	9,595,156	5,149,536	2,301,336	42,643	91,620,310
1915-6 [‡] ..	37,363,272	28,789,426	12,938,636	10,035,036	5,338,099	2,534,266	77,956	97,076,601
1916-7 [‡] ..	40,836,747	31,581,266	14,725,959	11,351,343	5,846,109	2,695,274	102,348	107,139,046
1917-8 [‡] ..	43,039,012	34,598,186	16,501,325	12,899,036	6,290,027	2,917,235	95,071	116,339,892
1918-9 [‡] ..	47,070,342	38,772,024	17,510,975	14,803,237	7,002,473	3,285,393	81,097	128,525,541
31/3/20 [‡]	47,736,585	39,926,184	17,337,297	14,818,826	6,818,727	3,439,444	81,988	130,159,051

* Including depositors in Penny Savings Banks. † Includes small balances. ‡ Includes Commonwealth Savings Bank.

AVERAGE PER DEPOSITOR.

End of Year.	N.S.W.	Victoria.	Q'land.	S. Aust.	W. Aust.	Tas.	N. Terr.	Total.
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1909-10..	43 15	8 27	10 1	49 0	4 33	14 10	40 8	2 27
1910-1 ..	45 0	7 29	0 3	50 2	6 34	7 0	41 6	7 27
1911-2 ..	46 12	4 30	12 9	52 15	10 35	8 1	39 13	9 28
1912-3*..	46 12	2 31	12 5	51 9	3 34	15 10	38 12	9 28
1913-4*..	46 13	2 33	7 2	50 10	10 34	19 10	36 13	6 28
1914-5*..	47 1	0 34	10 11	52 5	7 34	0 1	35 11	5 28
1915-6*..	46 6	1 35	1 2	51 18	3 33	10 6	33 18	6 29
1916-7*..	46 16	10 36	6 9	52 5	10 35	9 5	33 19	0 29
1917-8*..	46 15	3 37	17 2	52 13	7 38	3 11	34 10	8 30
1918-9*..	47 15	9 40	2 3	50 19	9 41	7 7	36 8	2 32
31/3/20*	46 1	5 39	16 9	48 4	5 39	13 0	33 18	8 33

AVERAGE PER INHABITANT.

1909-10..	12 9	8 12	1 6	9 14	7 17	2 8	13 2	1 1	8 11	2 ..	12 5	8
1910-1 ..	13 13	2 13	5 6	10 12	11 18	2 7	14 15	8 9	1 9	..	13 8	5
1911-2 ..	14 11	7 14	10 5	11 11	8 19	8 11	14 11	7 10	3 6	..	14 8	4
1912-3*..	15 19	0 15	19 10	13 4	2 20	4 3	14 17	8 10	9 4	4 5	1 15	13 4
1913-4*..	17 8	7 17	5 1	14 19	6 21	4 0	15 4	6 11	1 5	5 2	1 16	19 6
1914-5*..	19 0	1 18	18 6	17 7	2 21	13 6	15 19	4 11	12 0	9 11	9 18	10 0
1915-6*..	20 1	0 20	9 6	18 16	5 23	2 11	16 19	3 12	16 8	16 1	9 19	16 1
1916-7*..	21 19	5 22	11 2	21 19	0 26	5 9	18 18	7 13	9 10	20 5	11 21	17 7
1917-8*..	22 10	0 24	8 5	23 16	9 29	7 0	20 4	4 14	7 7	18 0	9 23	7 2
1918-9*..	23 19	7 26	8 6	24 11	4 32	9 4	21 13	4 15	11 7	16 9	7 25	0 1
31/3/20*	23 12	8 26	12 9	23 17	9 31	9 6	20 10	1 15	15 4	17 18	11 24	13 7

* Includes Commonwealth Savings Bank.

COMMONWEALTH SAVINGS BANK.

State.	30th June, 1913.		30th June, 1914.		31st Mar., 1920.	
	No. of Depositors.	Amount at Credit of Depositors.	No. of Depositors.	Amount at Credit of Depositors.	No. of Depositors.	Amount at Credit of Depositors.
		£		£		£
New South Wales ..	15,351	490,586	37,677	1,171,255	181,375	5,317,275
Victoria ..	17,602	666,275	30,371	1,151,823	113,256	4,302,746
Queensland..	13,481	455,167	24,202	815,947	86,893	2,967,110
South Australia ..	3,544	129,931	7,965	317,135	39,418	1,606,205
Western Australia ..	4,114	112,359	10,111	277,956	46,153	1,382,014
Tasmania ..	29,107	820,442	32,392	885,379	52,994	1,350,392
Northern Territory ..	228	13,151	292	18,709	1,100	81,988
Papua ..	46	2,238	133	7,064	1,094	51,780
London ..	85	3,822	..	..	5,856	180,978
Total ..	83,558	2,693,971	143,143	4,645,268	528,139	17,240,488

Section V.—Railways.

PARTICULARS OF WORKING.

RAILWAYS (GOVERNMENT AND PRIVATE) OPEN FOR TRAFFIC, 1913-14 TO 1918-19.

NOTE.—The mileage of Government railways is shewn by figures not in brackets; that of private lines is shewn in brackets.

—	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.	1918-19.
Federal ..	629 (—)	1,193 (—)	1,402 (—)	1,641 (—)	1,734 (—)	1,734 (—)
New South Wales ..	3,967 (262)	4,134 (305)	4,188 (305)	4,437 (345)	4,679 (346)	4,825 (345)
Victoria ..	3,835 (51)	3,875 (62)	4,100 (52)	4,123 (54)	4,152 (71)	4,190 (71)
Queensland ..	4,570 (512)	4,838 (611)	4,967 (616)	5,214 (1,488)	5,295 (1,474)	5,469 (1,372)
South Australia ..	1,845 (34)	2,157 (34)	2,187 (34)	2,221 (39)	2,242 (39)	2,290 (39)
Western Australia ..	2,967 (974)	3,332 (943)	3,332 (965)	3,425 (999)	3,491 (959)	3,538 (973)
Tasmania ..	519 (222)	533 (246)	562 (196)	581 (202)	588 (194)	601 (210)
Total ..	18,332 (2,055)	20,062 (2,201)	20,738 (2,168)	21,642 (3,127)	22,181 (3,083)	22,647 (3,010)
Private—						
For general traffic ..	1,103	1,143	1,149	1,177	1,241	1,125
,, private ,,	952	1,058	1,019	1,950	1,842	1,885
Grand Total ..	20,387	22,263	22,906	24,769	25,264	25,657

GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS—YEAR ENDED 30TH JUNE, 1919.

Government.	Cost of Construction and Equipment.	Gross Earnings.	Working Expenses.	Net Earnings.		
				Amount.	Per Train Mile.	Per cent. on Capital.
Federal ..	£1,000.	£	£	£	s. d.	%
New South Wales ..	10,950	266,064	407,255	— 141,191	— 4 2½	— 1.29
Victoria ..	76,602	9,958,173	6,904,450	3,053,723	3 0¾	3.99
Queensland ..	57,404	6,432,277	4,279,663	2,152,614	3 3¾	3.75
South Australia ..	38,244	3,984,597	3,690,445	294,152	0 7½	0.77
Western Australia ..	18,650	2,391,409	1,829,634	561,775	2 1	3.01
Tasmania ..	17,996	1,872,897	1,567,591	305,306	1 5½	1.70
Total ..	224,922	25,306,781	19,003,633	6,303,148	2 3¾	2.80

— denotes net loss.

AVERAGE MILES WORKED.

Government.	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.	1918-19.
Federal	624	999	1,297	1,535	1,734	1,734
New South Wales	3,959	4,057	4,169	4,313	4,551	4,737
Victoria	3,747	3,848	3,955	4,104	4,139	4,159
Queensland	4,507	4,730	4,939	5,067	5,281	5,324
South Australia	1,815	2,026	2,185	2,193	2,235	2,285
Western Australia	2,910	3,096	3,332	3,370	3,463	3,507
Tasmania	525	536	552	577	591	599
Total	18,087	19,292	20,429	21,159	21,994	22,345

PARTICULARS OF WORKING—*continued.*

Government.	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.	1918-19.
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TRAIN MILES RUN—THOUSANDS.

Federal	326	816	953	914	849	675
New South Wales	20,550	20,420	21,556	20,301	18,143	19,935
Victoria	15,029	15,303	13,827	14,022	13,626	13,932
Queensland	11,346	11,989	11,572	10,729	10,320	9,943
South Australia	6,731	5,581	5,631	5,731	5,441	5,413
Western Australia	5,565	5,405	5,149	4,500	4,095	4,256
Tasmania	1,001	1,005	1,051	1,080	1,056	1,108
Total	60,548	60,519	59,739	57,277	53,536	54,362

GROSS EARNINGS.

	£1,000	£1,000	£1,000	£1,000	£1,000	£1,000
Federal	94	232	371	386	278	266
New South Wales	7,742	7,617	8,006	8,380	8,955	9,958
Victoria	5,561	5,161	5,705	5,953	6,562	6,432
Queensland	3,660	3,832	3,745	3,832	4,024	3,985
South Australia	2,337	1,745	1,966	2,274	2,331	2,392
Western Australia	2,257	2,058	2,088	1,877	1,816	1,873
Tasmania	330	323	348	341	357	401
Total	21,981	20,968	22,229	23,043	24,323	25,307

WORKING EXPENSES.

	£1,000	£1,000	£1,000	£1,000	£1,000	£1,000
Federal	109	273	419	434	388	407
New South Wales	5,410	5,311	5,661	5,915	5,941	6,904
Victoria	3,753	4,115	3,997	4,154	4,451	4,280
Queensland	2,371	2,402	2,745	2,994	3,410	3,690
South Australia	1,506	1,448	1,546	1,726	1,747	1,830
Western Australia	1,572	1,498	1,511	1,449	1,451	1,568
Tasmania	222	226	249	289	278	325
Total	14,943	15,273	16,128	16,961	17,666	19,004

NET EARNINGS.

	£1,000	£1,000	£1,000	£1,000	£1,000	£1,000
Federal	-15	-41	-48	-48	-110	-141
New South Wales	2,332	2,306	2,345	2,465	3,014	3,054
Victoria	1,808	1,046	1,708	1,799	2,111	2,152
Queensland	1,289	1,430	1,000	838	614	294
South Australia	831	297	420	548	584	562
Western Australia	685	560	577	429	365	305
Tasmania	108	97	99	51	79	77
Total	7,038	5,695	6,101	6,082	6,657	6,303

— denotes loss.

PARTICULARS OF WORKING—continued.

Governments.	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.	1918-19.
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PERCENTAGE OF NET EARNINGS ON CAPITAL COST.

	%	%	%	%	%	%
Federal	-0.46	-0.67	-0.59	-0.47	-1.03	-1.29
New South Wales	3.88	3.60	3.41	3.42	4.02	3.99
Victoria	3.67	2.03	3.14	3.23	3.73	3.75
Queensland	4.05	4.28	2.88	2.30	1.65	0.77
South Australia	5.46	1.79	2.44	3.10	3.25	3.01
Western Australia	4.32	3.30	3.37	2.46	2.06	1.70
Tasmania	2.39	2.10	2.07	1.04	1.58	1.51
Total	3.91	2.95	2.97	2.84	3.02	2.80

— denotes loss.

STATE GOVERNMENT RAILWAYS.

NINE MONTHS ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1919.

	N.S.W.	Vict.	Q'land.	S.A.*.	W.A.	Tas.	Total.
Miles open	4,825	4,154	5,324	..	3,519	601	..
Revenue—							
Coaching (Passengers, Parcels, Mails, &c.) £	3,407,655	2,417,068	1,129,846	..	479,024	135,326	..
Goods, including Live Stock and Minerals £	4,138,623	2,199,123	1,809,733	..	878,050	147,160	..
Miscellaneous £	..	129,886	40,551	..	82,178	8,028	..
Total Revenue .. £	7,546,278	4,746,076	2,980,130	1,879,800	1,439,252	290,514	18,882,050
Expenditure .. £	4,949,170	3,177,386	2,809,073	1,344,440	1,157,710	216,278	13,654,057
Train miles run ..	14,963,263	9,778,987	7,528,592	4,193,188	3,199,985	811,523	40,475,538
Earnings per train mile ..	10s. 1d.	9s. 8d.	7s. 11d.	9s. 0d.	9s. 0d.	7s. 2d.	9s. 4d.
Expenditure per train mile ..	6s. 7d.	6s. 6d.	7s. 6d.	6s. 5d.	7s. 3d.	5s. 4d.	6s. 9d.
Expenditure per cent. to Earnings ..	65.58	66.95	94.26	71.52	80.44	74.44	72.31
Passengers carried No.	75,505,166	83,061,09	20,265,559	..	13,134,680	1,408,408	..
Coal and Coke carried tons	4,630,943	342,683	522,759	..	304,479	90,072	..
Other Minerals carried ..	721,577	4,526	450,038	..	201,483	..	..
Live Stock carried ..	441,615	367,753	239,897	..	57,449	12,206	..
Other Goods carried ..	3,807,053	3,953,211	1,813,172	..	1,558,787	240,150	..
Total Freight carried ..	9,601,188	4,668,173	3,025,866	..	2,122,198	342,428	..

NINE MONTHS ENDED 31ST MARCH, 1920.

	4,952	4,190	5,640	..	3,539	627	..
Miles open	4,952	4,190	5,640	..	3,539	627	..
Revenue—							
Coaching (Passengers, Parcels, Mails, &c.) £	4,679,762	3,153,575	1,464,866	..	566,799	175,468	..
Goods, including Live Stock and Minerals £	5,204,305	2,777,670	2,138,329	..	1,025,111	185,806	..
Miscellaneous £	..	129,057	54,997	..	93,746	6,906	..
Total Revenue .. £	9,884,067	6,060,302	3,658,192	2,041,265	1,685,656	368,180	23,697,662
Expenditure .. £	6,885,660	3,939,373	3,200,978	1,459,900	1,417,071	277,320	17,180,302
Train miles run ..	17,111,557	11,044,130	7,823,433	3,777,913	3,577,599	926,939	44,261,571
Earnings per train mile ..	11s. 7d.	11s. 0d.	9s. 4d.	10s. 10d.	9s. 5d.	7s. 11d.	10s. 8d.
Expenditure per train mile ..	8s. 1d.	7s. 2d.	8s. 2d.	7s. 9d.	7s. 11d.	6s. 0d.	7s. 9d.
Expenditure per cent. to Earnings ..	69.66	65.00	87.50	71.52	84.07	75.32	72.50
Passengers carried No.	84,434,193	98,825,439	21,252,374	..	13,795,210	1,652,899	..
Coal and Coke carried tons	4,747,079	476,733	504,954	..	366,708	90,767	..
Other Minerals carried ..	798,664	2,742	341,507	..	220,499	..	..
Live Stock carried ..	665,628	536,887	298,497	..	71,450	15,715	..
Other Goods carried ..	3,469,719	4,847,290	1,747,367	..	1,583,620	284,436	..
Total Freight carried ..	9,681,090	5,863,652	2,892,325	..	2,242,277	390,918	..

* The Oodnadatta line (478 miles) not included.

Section VI.—Labour and Industrial Statistics.

TRADE UNIONS.

Number of Trade Unions, Branch Unions and Membership, at end of Years
1912 to 1919.

Year.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	Total.	C'wealth.
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NO. OF SEPARATE UNIONS.

1912	177	151	67	78	97	51	..	621	*408
1913	201	162	94	86	107	60	..	710	*432
1914	197	170	86	87	107	62	3	712	*430
1915	203	161	89	87	104	66	3	713	*415
1916	199	151	93	86	107	66	3	705	*392
1917	220	156	96	93	108	71	3	747	*389
1918	217	158	102	101	111	74	4	767	*394
1919	211	160	106	101	112	77	4	771	*394

NO. OF BRANCHES.

1912	453	241	226	62	177	33	..	1,192	†1,405
1913	555	292	230	74	174	60	..	1,385	†1,663
1914	598	314	224	85	214	62	..	1,497	†1,779
1915	721	312	246	94	203	63	..	1,639	†1,937
1916	790	361	290	102	170	72	..	1,785	†2,098
1917	765	353	291	98	195	76	..	1,778	†2,136
1918	785	346	298	137	195	75	..	1,836	†2,209
1919	748	411	338	134	161	76	..	1,868	†2,245

NO. OF MEMBERS.

1912	192,626	116,557	44,768	37,336	33,282	8,655	..	433,224	433,224
1913	230,677	130,176	51,683	40,061	35,317	10,011	..	497,925	497,925
1914	240,023	138,810	55,580	40,956	38,106	9,149	647	523,271	523,271
1915	241,979	141,993	58,310	39,264	35,980	9,346	1,159	528,031	528,031
1916	244,074	147,614	66,807	42,537	33,900	10,263	1,361	546,556	546,556
1917	248,851	148,730	75,393	45,400	33,263	10,886	1,664	564,187	564,187
1918	243,176	152,063	87,737	51,559	33,761	11,900	1,559	581,755	581,755
1919	255,899	164,583	97,378	56,879	38,169	13,556	1,221	627,685	627,685

* Allowing for Inter-State excess. The figures represent the number of distinct organizations and Inter-State groups of organizations in the Commonwealth. They do not represent the total number of organizations which are practically independent and self-governing. † Includes not only branches of separate State unions and sub-branches in each State of Inter-State unions, but also head State branches of Inter-State unions.

Classification of Trade Unions in Commonwealth according to Number of
Members at end of Years 1912 to 1919.

Classification.	10,000 and over.	5,000 and under 10,000.	2,000 and under 5,000.	1,000 and under 2,000.	500 and under 1,000.	300 and under 500.	200 and under 300.	100 and under 200.	50 and under 100.	Under 50.	Total.
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NUMBER OF UNIONS.

1912	7	15	26	43	32	32	39	67	72	75	408
1913	9	17	26	35	45	47	26	81	84	62	432
1914	8	17	29	39	52	45	32	72	67	69	430
1915	9	16	30	41	44	35	34	69	63	74	415
1916	11	16	35	33	47	43	25	53	59	70	392
1917	9	19	27	36	48	44	28	48	63	67	389
1918	11	15	33	39	51	38	19	66	65	57	394
1919	13	13	34	44	52	31	32	62	62	51	394

MEMBERSHIP.

1912	132,335	99,718	79,614	60,558	22,585	12,234	9,483	9,323	5,106	2,268	433,224
1913	176,188	121,710	75,357	48,938	32,154	17,994	6,406	11,326	5,914	1,938	497,925
1914	176,157	125,021	84,359	59,350	37,141	16,439	7,898	10,141	4,572	2,193	523,271
1915	186,755	122,009	89,295	61,264	30,651	13,405	8,308	9,408	4,537	2,399	528,031
1916	219,990	113,587	95,143	49,170	32,429	16,657	6,003	7,091	4,326	2,160	546,556
1917	217,002	144,198	78,019	52,258	34,944	17,433	7,032	6,742	4,550	2,009	564,187
1918	259,824	103,152	91,656	54,119	37,784	14,840	4,599	9,502	4,623	1,656	581,755
1919	292,406	95,400	104,547	64,145	37,083	12,148	7,624	8,392	4,430	1,510	627,685

Unemployment.—Number of Unions and Members Reporting, and Number and Percentage Unemployed, 1891 to 1920 (2nd Quarter).

Particulars.	Unions.	Membership.	UNEMPLOYED.	
			Number.	Percentage.
1891	25	6,445	599	9.3
1896	25	4,227	457	10.8
1901	39	8,710	574	6.6
1906	47	11,299	753	6.7
1907	51	13,179	757	5.7
1908	68	18,685	1,117	6.0
1909	84	21,122	1,223	5.8
1910	109	32,995	1,857	5.6
1911	160	67,961	3,171	4.7
1912	464	224,023	12,441	5.6
1913, 1st Quarter*	451	237,216	15,234	6.4
2nd	458	243,523	17,854	7.3
3rd	472	252,325	17,698	7.0
4th	465	251,207	13,430	5.3
1914, 1st	462	262,133	15,541	5.9
2nd	467	279,318	15,856	5.7
3rd	466	283,584	30,367	10.7
4th	439	250,716	27,610	11.0
1915, 1st	476	279,388	33,465	12.0
2nd	456	273,190	26,015	9.5
3rd	484	279,133	24,682	8.8
4th	465	273,149	18,489	6.8
1916, 1st	475	291,525	17,178	5.9
2nd	476	298,675	15,741	5.3
3rd	472	278,047	14,649	5.3
4th	470	292,051	19,562	6.7
1917, 1st	455	290,849	21,892	7.5
2nd	453	303,507	19,257	6.3
3rd	432	255,949	18,197	7.1
4th	459	296,937	21,989	7.4
1918, 1st	466	290,048	16,089	5.5
2nd	478	294,725	18,385	6.2
3rd	494	305,550	18,752	6.1
4th	475	308,850	16,919	5.5
1919, 1st	477	311,410	20,359	6.5
2nd	462	303,468	25,768	8.5
3rd	457	308,287	19,262	6.2
4th	459	317,413	16,637	5.2
1920, 1st	461	329,127	18,396	5.6
2nd	449	343,144	21,186	6.2

* For years prior to 1913 the figures refer to the end of the year only, and not to separate quarters. The quarterly figures shew the number of persons who were out of work for three days or more during a specified week in each quarter; they do not include persons out of work through strikes or lockouts.

Industrial Disputes.—Number and Magnitude of Industrial Disputes (causing stoppage of work), for each State and Territory. Comparative particulars for the years 1913 to 1919, and for the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Quarters of 1919.

Periods.	No. of New Disputes.	No. of establishments involved in New Disputes.	No. of Workpeople involved in New Disputes.			No. of Working Days Lost. All Disputes.			Total Estimated loss in Wages. £
			Directly.	Indirectly.	Total.	New Disputes.	Old Disputes.	Total.	
NEW SOUTH WALES.									
Year 1913	134	466	25,647	14,364	40,011	..	..	468,957	216,368
,, 1914	235	908	33,955	22,326	56,281	..	..	836,948	419,656
,, 1915	272	694	47,006	22,608	69,614	..	..	464,343	240,322
,, 1916	336	717	91,762	31,638	123,400	..	..	1,145,222	674,064
,, 1917	296	918	118,515	15,508	134,023	..	..	3,308,869	1,929,405
,, 1918	138	182	24,417	8,624	33,041	..	..	181,639	112,894
,, 1919	267	678	64,956	35,040	99,996	..	..	3,669,186	2,397,259
1st Quarter, 1919	57	89	9,566	4,209	13,775	66,047	12,480	78,527	53,725
2nd „ 1919	52	137	23,973	15,759	39,732	699,803	28,728	728,531	451,270
3rd „ 1919	49	234	7,830	4,467	12,297	43,116	1,004,120	1,047,236	658,353
4th „ 1919	109	218	23,587	10,605	34,192	180,947	490,470	671,117	472,003

* Total estimated loss during the respective periods for all disputes.

Industrial Disputes.—Number and Magnitude of Industrial Disputes (causing stoppage of work), 1913-1919, and for the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Quarters of 1919—continued.

Periods.	No. of New Disputes.	No. of establishments involved in New Disputes.	No. of Workpeople involved in New Disputes.			No. of Working Days Lost. All Disputes.			Total Estimated loss in Wages. *
			Directly.	Indirectly.	Total.	New Disputes.	Old Disputes.	Total.	

VICTORIA.

Year 1913	..	29	63	4,151	2,026	6,177	..	..	85,212	35,744
" 1914	..	44	164	5,699	1,352	7,051	..	..	84,106	39,619
" 1915	..	38	154	5,434	809	6,243	..	..	64,878	28,476
" 1916	..	55	449	13,576	2,092	15,668	..	..	228,269	114,683
" 1917	..	52	636	15,976	2,114	18,090	..	..	760,410	378,946
" 1918	..	33	190	4,235	1,513	5,748	..	..	165,020	99,346
" 1919	..	62	372	15,169	7,437	22,606	..	..	733,333	392,796
1st Quarter, 1919		13	38	1,787	201	1,983	17,839	4,480	22,319	13,686
2nd " 1919		17	206	6,315	3,331	9,846	222,047	5,324	227,371	119,687
3rd " 1919		9	10	1,932	49	1,981	9,547	279,392	288,939	154,542
4th " 1919		23	118	5,135	3,856	8,991	61,171	1,456	62,627	32,996

QUEENSLAND.

Year 1913	..	17	20	1,781	225	2,006	..	..	55,288	28,374
" 1914	..	18	42	1,280	406	1,686	..	..	25,703	11,747
" 1915	..	17	39	1,477	589	2,066	..	..	19,934	9,505
" 1916	..	64	252	17,367	2,951	20,318	..	..	170,690	96,976
" 1917	..	39	202	12,074	971	13,045	..	..	317,699	178,125
" 1918	..	84	696	8,803	1,875	10,678	..	..	183,883	131,142
" 1919	..	69	295	9,078	6,336	15,414	..	..	586,661	327,537
1st Quarter, 1919		19	22	1,111	570	1,681	22,682	14,578	37,260	23,836
2nd " 1919		11	13	2,807	2,667	5,474	21,348	181,040	202,388	106,396
3rd " 1919		14	103	1,834	409	2,243	9,525	249,680	259,205	147,435
4th " 1919		25	157	3,326	2,690	6,016	35,686	..	35,686	23,850

SOUTH AUSTRALIA.

Year 1913	..	9	13	272	16	288	..	..	2,412	1,029
" 1914	..	13	45	616	575	1,191	..	..	15,275	7,677
" 1915	..	15	25	1,314	169	1,483	..	..	19,877	14,442
" 1916	..	21	45	1,037	606	1,643	..	..	10,583	6,004
" 1917	..	24	44	3,958	146	4,104	..	..	57,446	30,306
" 1918	..	17	25	1,576	429	2,005	..	..	18,276	10,515
" 1919	..	32	75	4,437	3,409	7,846	..	..	238,378	127,303
1st Quarter, 1919		10	29	781	128	909	8,763	750	9,513	5,222
2nd " 1919		5	16	504	1,525	2,029	48,825	2,340	51,165	25,616
3rd " 1919		5	5	882	158	1,040	4,140	87,290	91,430	45,283
4th " 1919		12	25	2,270	1,598	3,868	75,325	1,193	76,518	45,292

WESTERN AUSTRALIA.

Year 1913	..	9	324	967	..	967	..	..	6,772	3,515
" 1914	..	18	19	1,117	3,292	4,409	..	..	124,175	70,552
" 1915	..	6	20	578	68	646	..	..	4,068	2,294
" 1916	..	24	35	4,318	4,782	9,100	..	..	102,357	64,325
" 1917	..	23	128	2,401	547	2,948	..	..	102,078	53,004
" 1918	..	22	56	3,368	1,435	4,803	..	..	31,145	17,792
" 1919	..	20	157	5,516	4,460	9,976	..	..	359,987	213,867
1st Quarter, 1919		3	3	196	13	209	3,541	8,712	12,253	6,680
2nd " 1919		4	36	1,340	1,075	2,415	46,680	3,340	50,020	24,534
3rd " 1919		2	4	675	2,303	2,975	98,810	49,840	148,650	90,764
4th " 1919		11	114	3,305	1,072	4,377	137,802	..	137,802	83,484

TASMANIA.

Year 1913	..	8	30	444	20	464	..	..	987	434
" 1914	..	6	22	288	25	313	..	..	3,286	1,459
" 1915	..	2	2	922	..	922	..	..	4,808	2,174
" 1916	..	6	36	366	68	434	..	..	21,389	11,207
" 1917	..	8	11	1,062	623	1,085	..	..	52,541	24,502
" 1918	..	1	1	42	..	42	..	..	462	250
" 1919	..	5	127	1,098	588	1,636	..	..	63,271	32,738
1st Quarter, 1919		1	1	7	3	10	40	..	40	18
2nd " 1919		2	5	79	585	664	20,877	..	20,877	9,780
3rd " 1919		..	..	..	..	..	..	36,330	36,330	18,020
4th " 1919		2	121	1,012	..	1,012	6,024	..	6,024	4,920

* Total estimated loss during the respective periods for all disputes.

Industrial Disputes.—Number and Magnitude of Industrial Disputes (causing stoppage of work), 1913-1919, and for the 1st, 2nd, 3rd, and 4th Quarters of 1919—continued.

Periods.	No. of New Disputes.	No. of establishments involved in New Disputes.	No. of Workpeople involved in New Disputes.			No. of Working Days Lost. All Disputes.			Total Estimated loss in Wages. £
			Directly.	Indirectly.	Total.	New Disputes.	Old Disputes.	Total.	
NORTHERN TERRITORY.									
Year 1913	..	1	4	131	39	170	..	..	2,500 1,675
,, 1914	..	2	2	68	..	68	..	..	552 348
,, 1915	..	7	7	254	44	298	..	..	5,237 2,365
,, 1916	..	2	2	120	..	120	..	..	420 345
,, 1917	..	2	2	75	..	75	..	..	615 520
,, 1918	..	3	4	112	10	122	..	..	428 395
,, 1919	..	5	9	46	21	67	..	..	1,910 1,436
1st Quarter, 1919	3	6	29	19	48	1,365	..	1,365	1,024
2nd " 1919	2	3	17	2	19	147	398	545	412
3rd " 1919	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
4th " 1919	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
FEDERAL TERRITORY.									
Year 1913	..	1	1	100	100	200	..	..	1,400 600
,, 1914	..	1	1	50	..	50	..	..	350 170
,, 1915	..	1	1	20	..	20	..	..	80 55
,, 1916	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
,, 1917	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
,, 1918	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
,, 1919	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
COMMONWEALTH.									
Year 1913	..	208	921	33,493	16,790	50,283	..	..	623,528 287,739
,, 1914	..	337	1,203	43,073	27,976	71,049	..	..	1,090,395 551,228
,, 1915	..	358	942	57,005	24,287	81,292	..	..	583,225 299,633
,, 1916	..	508	1,536	128,546	42,137	170,683	..	..	1,678,930 967,604
,, 1917	..	444	1,941	154,061	19,903	173,970	..	..	4,599,658 2,594,808
,, 1918	..	298	1,154	42,553	13,886	56,439	..	..	580,853 372,334
,, 1919	..	460	1,713	100,300	57,291	157,591	..	..	5,652,726 3,492,936
1st Quarter, 1919	106	188	13,477	5,143	18,620	120,277	41,000	161,277	104,191
2nd " 1919	93	416	35,035	24,944	59,973	1,059,727	221,170	1,280,897	737,695
3rd " 1919	79	356	13,153	7,383	20,536	165,138	1,708,552	1,871,790	1,114,397
4th " 1919	182	753	38,635	19,821	58,456	493,655	493,119	989,774	662,545

* Total estimated loss during the respective periods for all disputes.

NOTE.—The annual figures show all losses caused by disputes which commenced during the year. The quarterly figures show losses which occurred during the quarter. Considerable losses in working days and wages were caused by the restrictions placed upon the use of coal, gas, and electricity during the 2nd and 3rd Quarters of 1919 as a result of the Seamen's dispute. These losses are not included in the above figures. A special tabulation, which will be published in the Annual Report, will show the extent to which employment was affected by the restrictions.

Industrial Disputes.—Number and Magnitude of Industrial Disputes (causing stoppage of work) in the Commonwealth, classified in Industrial Groups, 1919.

Industrial Group.	No. of New Disputes.	No. of Establishments Involved.	No. of Workpeople Involved in New Disputes.			No. of Working Days Lost.	Total Estimated Loss in Wages. £
			Directly.	Indirectly.	Total.		
I. Wood, Furniture, Timber, &c.	..	7	7	131	3	134	1,036 631
II. Engineering, Metal Works, &c.	..	15	26	1,219	627	1,846	18,147 10,726
III. Food, Drink, Tobacco, &c.	..	39	363	9,081	2,999	12,080	198,920 124,422
IV. Clothing, Hats, Boots, &c.	..	2	14	283	116	399	6,365 2,705
VI. Other Manufacturing	..	31	101	4,093	998	5,091	57,095 29,477
VII. Building	..	12	219	1,180	1,630	2,810	127,729 76,118
VIII. Mines, Quarries, &c.	..	231	313	61,538	25,069	86,607	2,718,074 1,905,075
IX. Rail and Tramway Services	..	21	22	2,284	705	2,989	57,419 33,573
X. Other Land Transport	..	5	42	636	47	683	17,009 8,763
XI. Shipping, Wharf Labour, &c.	..	41	189	11,457	21,257	32,714	2,271,030 1,182,933
XII. Pastoral, Agricultural, &c.	..	24	260	4,915	1,342	6,257	49,770 34,497
XIII. Domestic, Hotels, &c.	..	5	37	258	29	287	1,018 396
XIV. Miscellaneous	..	27	120	3,225	2,469	5,694	129,114 83,620
All Groups	..	460	1,713	100,300	57,291	157,591	5,652,726 3,492,936

CHANGES IN RATES OF WAGE.—Number and Effect of Changes in each State and Territory, 1913 to 4th Quarter, 1919.

Particulars.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	N.T.	* All States.	C'wlth.
Number of Changes.	Year 1913 ..	149	81	41	26	20	12	..	329
	1914 ..	185	69	50	18	42	19	1	384
	1915 ..	169	87	60	31	25	24	2	401
	1916 ..	381†	168	134	98	42	37	4	870
	1917 ..	201	106	142	78	55	38	16	637
	1918 ..	229	201	236	113	63	46	4	896
	1919 ..	457	218	216	136	112	128	4	1,284
	1st Qtr., 1919	74	31	29	17	8	7	2	169
	2nd " 1919	97	75	39	33	25	14	2	286
	3rd " 1919	76	37	37	32	27	14	9	232
Number of Persons Affected.	4th " 1919	210	75	111	54	52	93	2	597
	Year 1913 ..	89,618	49,254	16,645	4,574	3,036	3,005	..	166,132
	1914 ..	56,469	29,876	20,198	5,624	8,399	4,262	..	125,218
	1915 ..	109,260	39,087	22,864	10,206	2,661	3,147	185	10,000
	1916 ..	242,721	119,878	72,079	40,925	5,848	7,232	258	3,546
	1917 ..	101,158	68,272	72,843	20,209	12,997	5,288	1,143	11,000
	1918 ..	146,399	110,027	74,174	16,239	9,871	3,631	624	292,910
	1919 ..	280,031	125,693	116,627	35,377	26,673	16,108	1,287	361,581
	1st Qtr., 1919	29,825	12,095	4,481	2,977	787	1,474	34	51,998
	2nd " 1919	54,543	20,287	11,623	6,863	2,854	3,222	427	100,169
Total Net Amount of Increase per week.	3rd " 1919	52,519	39,672	29,021	7,569	7,062	2,456	826	139,125
	4th " 1919	143,144	53,639	71,502	17,968	15,970	8,956	..	312,599
	Year 1913 ..	£21,789	£9,880	£3,702	£1,279	£428	£635	..	£37,713
	1914 ..	£13,558	£6,688	£5,128	£1,941	£2,423	£804	£143	£30,685
	1915 ..	£29,525	£8,078	£6,398	£3,539	£562	£778	£87	£2,938
Average Increase per head per week.	1916 ..	£56,875	£30,566	£40,451	£9,930	£1,440	£1,980	£88	£1,593
	1917 ..	£28,896	£15,129	£20,083	£6,070	£3,407	£1,987	£635	£4,800
	1918 ..	£32,194	£25,514	£19,699	£3,985	£2,133	£1,323	£273	£239
	1919 ..	£137,642	£43,930	£43,718	£11,989	£10,249	£7,350	£618	£949
	1st Qtr., 1919	£8,252	£3,108	£1,132	£209†	£142	£485	£35	£150
	2nd " 1919	£22,479	£6,206	£3,681	£2,015	£829	£1,386	£204	£155
	3rd " 1919	£13,639	£13,262	£6,656	£2,504	£2,316	£957	£379	..
1st Qtr., 1919	4th " 1919	£93,272	£21,354	£32,249	£7,679	£6,962	£4,522	..	£644
	Year 1913 ..	4s. 10d.	4s. 0d.	4s. 5d.	5s. 7d.	2s. 10d.	4s. 3d.	..	4s. 6d.
	1914 ..	4s. 10d.	4s. 6d.	5s. 1d.	6s. 11d.	5s. 9d.	3s. 9d.	..	4s. 11d.
	1915 ..	5s. 5d.	4s. 2d.	5s. 7d.	6s. 11d.	4s. 3d.	4s. 11d.	9s. 5d.	5s. 3d.
	1916 ..	4s. 8d.	5s. 1d.	11s. 3d.	4s. 10d.	4s. 11d.	5s. 6d.	6s. 10d.	9s. 0d.
1st Qtr., 1919	1917 ..	5s. 9d.	4s. 5d.	5s. 6d.	6s. 0d.	5s. 3d.	7s. 6d.	11s. 1d.	5s. 6d.
	1918 ..	4s. 5d.	4s. 8d.	5s. 4d.	4s. 9d.	4s. 4d.	7s. 3d.	8s. 9d.	4s. 9d.
	1919 ..	9s. 10d.	7s. 0d.	7s. 6d.	6s. 9d.	7s. 8d.	9s. 2d.	9s. 1d.	8s. 6d.
	1st Qtr., 1919	5s. 6d.	5s. 2d.	5s. 1d.	1s. 5d.†	3s. 7d.	6s. 7d.	20s. 7d.	9s. 3d.
	2nd " 1919	8s. 3d.	6s. 1d.	6s. 4d.	5s. 10d.	5s. 10d.	8s. 7d.	9s. 7d.	8s. 10d.
	3rd " 1919	5s. 2d.	6s. 9d.	4s. 7d.	6s. 7d.	6s. 7d.	7s. 10d.	9s. 2d.	..
	4th " 1919	13s. 0d.	8s. 0d.	9s. 0d.	8s. 7d.	8s. 9d.	10s. 1d.	..	9s. 1d.
* Changes recorded in this column are common to all States, as the particulars relating to the number of workpeople affected and the net amount of increase per week in each State were not ascertainable.									
† Including four changes which affected 157 workpeople in the Federal Territory.									
‡ Decrease.									

* Changes recorded in this column are common to all States, as the particulars relating to the number of workpeople affected and the net amount of increase per week in each State were not ascertainable.

† Including four changes which affected 157 workpeople in the Federal Territory.

‡ Decrease.

Changes in Rates of Wage in the Commonwealth according to Industrial Groups, 1913-1919.

Particulars.	INDUSTRIAL GROUP.														All Groups.*
	I. Wood, Furniture, Timber, &c.	II. Engineering, Metal Works, &c.	III. Food, Drink, Tobacco, &c.	IV. Clothing, Hats, Boots, &c.	V. Books, Printing, &c.	VI. Other Manufacturing.	VII. Building.	VIII. Mines, Quarries, &c.	IX. Rail and Tramway Services.	X. Other Land Transport.	XI. Shipping, &c.	XII. Pastoral, &c.	XIII. Domestic, Hotels, &c.	XIV. Miscellaneous.	
1913.															
Number of Changes ..	10	20	45	15	11	55	21	17	16	12	19	3	9	59	312
Number of Persons affected ..	7,975	6,594	17,428	11,727	4,602	17,110	19,237	6,112	20,046	7,335	1,839	828	6,481	38,818	166,132
Amount of Increase per week £	1,569	1,607	4,255	2,062	1,126	3,480	5,696	1,210	3,219	2,324	543	436	1,922	8,264	37,713
1914.															
Number of Changes ..	14	30	58	10	17	41	19	25	15	10	26	2	4	94	365
Number of Persons affected ..	10,762	9,582	22,692	14,970	2,686	9,061	8,380	7,776	5,313	4,020	16,758	590	939	11,689	125,218
Amount of Increase per week £	2,516	1,834	4,958	2,461	523	2,181	2,471	1,581	1,334	716	6,933	120	188	2,869	30,685
1915.															
Number of Changes ..	18	51	48	7	7	61	13	37	19	15	21	3	11	54	365
Number of Persons affected ..	4,912	32,322	18,214	1,023	1,724	15,451	6,616	19,925	27,140	5,468	13,154	2,300	5,011	44,150	197,410
Amount of Increase per week £	1,131	8,835	4,204	339	539	2,921	1,173	5,507	4,629	2,082	3,702	852	1,095	14,896	51,905
1916.															
Number of Changes ..	35	74	107	21	27	108	37	63	64	31	44	11	13	186	821
Number of Persons affected ..	16,111	27,412	38,171	30,918	10,210	34,037	37,536	63,308	83,526	19,232	12,898	16,266	9,882	92,980	492,487
Amount of Increase per week £	4,255	6,894	16,383	6,858	2,270	9,172	12,400	17,827	17,450	5,282	3,411	16,858	2,016	21,847	142,923
1917.															
Number of Changes ..	14	60	66	21	31	53	38	28	50	19	25	10	15	144	574
Number of Persons affected ..	10,495	16,994	30,515	25,652	6,386	12,585	11,426	25,022	37,264	10,261	12,613	3,440	15,359	74,898	292,910
Amount of Increase per week £	2,568	3,394	2,015	6,104	1,981	4,046	3,477	12,544	12,711	3,054	5,629	1,096	3,720	18,668	81,007
1918.															
Number of Changes ..	61	42	93	26	24	78	30	25	38	25	38	6	23	270	779
Number of Persons affected ..	14,651	31,804	32,411	23,215	8,707	15,160	17,419	14,285	59,625	12,782	1,990	1,717	9,230	118,585	361,581
Amount of Increase per week £	4,343	10,565	9,025	5,252	1,804	3,944	5,420	2,988	10,320	2,185	719	350	2,167	26,178	85,260
1919.															
Number of Changes ..	39	89	156	31	41	138	42	29	74	37	59	11	49	373	1,168
Number of Persons affected ..	13,616	44,133	72,603	26,905	9,335	50,520	19,053	34,501	114,365	20,871	34,294	9,030	25,799	128,856	603,891
Amount of Increase per week £	4,890	20,381	23,551	11,308	4,449	17,829	8,941	17,434	56,872	8,701	18,168	5,739	7,620	50,562	256,445

* In this table an Industrial Award or Agreement under the Commonwealth Conciliation and Arbitration Act or an Order of the War Precautions Coal Board is counted as one change only, although such Award, Agreement, or Order may be operative in more than one State.

Weighted Average Nominal Weekly and Hourly Rates of Wage payable to Adult Male
Workers, and Weekly Hours of Labour, 31st December, 1919.

Industrial Groups.		Particulars.*		Sydney.	Melbourne.	Brisbane.	Adelaide.	Perth.	Hobart.	Average for Six Capital Towns.
I. Wood, Furniture, &c.		Weekly Wage	76/6	72/5	83/6	74/3	74/8	71/6	75/9	
		Working Hours	48.02	48.00	44.11	47.90	47.87	47.90	47.38	
		Hourly Wage	1/7	1/6	1/10 ³ ₄	1/6 ¹ ₂	1/6 ³ ₄	1/6	1/7 ₄	
II. Engineering, Metal Works, &c.		Weekly Wage	82/5	71/10	83/3	73/4	76/10	71/10	77/6	
		Working Hours	47.74	48.00	44.69	48.00	47.95	48.00	47.56	
		Hourly Wage	1/8 ³ ₄	1/6	1/10 ₄	1/6 ₄	1/7 ₄	1/6	1/7 ₄	
III. Food, Drink, &c.		Weekly Wage	79/3	73/-	74/5	74/4	72/8	69/6	75/6	
		Working Hours	48.37	48.06	47.32	48.20	48.59	48.66	48.09	
		Hourly Wage	1/7 ³ ₄	1/6 ₄	1/7	1/6 ₂	1/6	1/5 ₄	1/6 ₃	
IV. Clothing, Boots, &c.		Weekly Wage	76/11	71/4	74/2	72/10	72/4	58/6	73/5	
		Working Hours	46.21	46.34	44.27	44.27	44.36	46.57	45.89	
		Hourly Wage	1/8	1/6 ₂	1/8	1/7 ³ ₄	1/7 ₂	1/3	1/7 ₄	
V. Books, Printing, &c.		Weekly Wage	86/-	78/8	79/5	69/1	77/6	78/2	80/9	
		Working Hours	45.08	45.61	44.61	47.56	44.97	46.00	45.41	
		Hourly Wage	1/11	1/8 ³ ₄	1/9 ₄	1/5 ₂	1/8 ³ ₄	1/8 ₂	1/9 ₄	
VI. Other Manufacturing		Weekly Wage	79/4	71/5	77/-	72/5	75/2	71/4	75/4	
		Working Hours	47.92	47.94	45.93	48.05	48.09	48.04	47.78	
		Hourly Wage	1/7 ³ ₄	1/6	1/8	1/6	1/6 ³ ₄	1/5 ₃	1/7	
VII. Building		Weekly Wage	78/10	77/5	93/9	76/1	80/3	72/1	79/8	
		Working Hours	47.26	43.79	44.00	44.89	47.90	47.26	45.63	
		Hourly Wage	1/8	1/9 ₄	2/1 ₂	1/8 ₄	1/8	1/6 ₄	1/9	
VIII. Mining†		Weekly Wage	86/2	85/11	98/-	77/3	93/11	75/11	88/4	
		Working Hours	45.18	44.94	43.03	44.18	46.13	46.27	44.99	
		Hourly Wage	1/11	1/11	2/3 ₄	1/9	2/0 ₂	1/7 ₄	1/11 ₂	
IX. Rail and Tram Services		Weekly Wage	81/11	74/1	86/6	70/9	75/4	67/9	78/6	
		Working Hours	48.29	48.15	48.11	48.50	48.46	49.80	48.29	
		Hourly Wage	1/8 ₄	1/6 ₂	1/9 ₂	1/5 ₂	1/6 ₃ ₄	1/4 ₄	1/7 ₂	
X. Other Land Transport		Weekly Wage	78/3	68/9	71/6	69/11	72/-	72/9	73/4	
		Working Hours	54.29	50.22	50.92	48.91	48.00	50.22	51.72	
		Hourly Wage	1/5 ₄	1/4 ₂	1/4 ₃	1/5 ₄	1/6	1/5 ₂	1/5	
XI. Shipping, &c.		Weekly Wage‡	76/1	78/8	78/1	81/-	77/2	80/8	77/9	
		Working Hours	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
		Hourly Wage	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
XII. Pastoral, Agricultural, &c.		Weekly Wage§	71/8	66/10	71/7	69/7	76/4	64/11	70/3	
		Working Hours	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
		Hourly Wage	..	..	..	..	..	..	..
XIII. Domestic, Hotels, &c.		Weekly Wage||	71/5	68/6	67/7	61/10	71/2	43/6	68/7	
		Working Hours	51.60	48.86	51.30	53.20	55.07	58.00	51.41	
		Hourly Wage	1/4 ₂	1/4 ₃	1/3 ₄	1/2	1/3 ₂	-9	1/4	
XIV. Miscellaneous ..		Weekly Wage	73/3	69/10	75/1	64/8	68/10	69/1	71/3	
		Working Hours	47.82	47.97	47.15	47.80	46.98	47.40	47.71	
		Hourly Wage	1/6 ₂	1/5 ₂	1/7	1/4 ₄	1/5 ₂	1/5 ₂	1/6	
All Groups		Weekly Wage	76/9	72/-	78/7	70/5	77/8	69/-	74/11	
All Groups excepting XI. and XII.		Weekly Wage	78/1	72/10	81/3	69/11	78/-	70/1	76/-	
		Working Hours	47.77	47.36	46.19	47.58	47.60	47.89	47.41	
		Hourly Wage	1/7 ₂	1/6 ₂	1/9	1/5 ₂	1/7 ₂	1/5 ₂	1/7 ₄	

* Particulars relate to the *Average Weighted* weekly wage, working hours, and hourly wage, respectively.

† Average rates of wage and hours prevailing at the principal mining centres in each State. ‡ Average rates of wage are for occupations other than Masters, Officers, and Engineers in the Merchant Marine Service, and include value of victualling and accommodation, where provided, at 67s. 9d. per month, but does not include value of commission on bar sales to stewards. In the recent Award for Seamen, the annual value of victualling and accommodation, which was estimated in 1907 at £27, was computed to be £40 13s. 4d. § Including the value of Board and Lodging, where supplied, estimated at 20s. per week.

|| Including the value of Board and Lodging, where supplied, as follows:—In Sydney, 11s. to 19s. (according to class of establishment); in Melbourne, 14s.; in Brisbane, 15s. and 17s.; in Adelaide, 14s. (Restaurants) and 15s. (Hotels and Clubs); in Perth, 22s.; and in Hobart, 15s. per week.

Weighted Average Nominal Weekly and Hourly Rates of Wage payable to Adult Female Workers, and Weekly Hours of Labour, 31st December, 1919.

Industrial Groups.	Particulars.*	Sydney.	Melbourne.	Brisbane.	Adelaide.	Perth.	Hobart.	Average for Six Capital Towns.
III. Food, Drink, &c. . .	Weekly Wage	39/8	32/-	35/-	27/6	26/3	24/9	34/8
	Working Hours	47.90	48.00	47.33	48.00	48.00	48.00	47.92
	Hourly Wage	-/10	-/8	-/8 $\frac{3}{4}$	-/7	-/6 $\frac{1}{2}$	-/6 $\frac{1}{2}$	-/8 $\frac{3}{4}$
IV. Clothing, Boots, &c.	Weekly Wage	40/9	34/9	38/-	37/8	37/11	32/10	37/4
	Working Hours	46.33	46.71	45.30	45.71	46.67	45.61	46.33
	Hourly Wage	-/10 $\frac{1}{2}$	-/9	-/10	-/10	-/9 $\frac{3}{4}$	-/8 $\frac{3}{4}$	-/9 $\frac{3}{4}$
I., II., V., & VI. All other Manufacturing	Weekly Wage	39/6	35/1	34/7	35/2	..	40/-	36/9
	Working Hours	47.15	47.90	44.50	47.50	..	48.00	47.37
	Hourly Wage	-/10	-/8 $\frac{3}{4}$	-/9 $\frac{1}{4}$	-/9	..	-/10	-/9 $\frac{1}{4}$
XIII. Domestic, Hotels, &c.	Weekly Wage†	39/8	32/11	41/4	29/7	49/11	32/8	38/2
	Working Hours	49.69	50.46	49.33	50.67	49.60	58.00	50.14
	Hourly Wage	-/9 $\frac{1}{2}$	-/7 $\frac{3}{4}$	-/10	-/7	1/-	-/6 $\frac{3}{4}$	-/9 $\frac{1}{4}$
XIV. Shop Assistants, Clerks, &c.	Weekly Wage	39/3	34/11	36/9	28/3	..	..	36/2
	Working Hours	48.00	48.00	47.00	49.00	..	..	47.97
	Hourly Wage	-/9 $\frac{3}{4}$	-/8 $\frac{3}{4}$	-/9 $\frac{1}{2}$	-/7	..	..	-/9
All Groups . . .	Weekly Wage	40/-	34/5	38/4	33/3	43/7	33/-	37/1
	Working Hours	47.53	47.63	46.76	47.67	48.12	49.28	47.54
	Hourly Wage	-/10	-/8 $\frac{3}{4}$	-/9 $\frac{3}{4}$	-/8 $\frac{1}{2}$	-/11	-/8	-/9 $\frac{1}{4}$

* Particulars relate to the *Average Weighted* weekly rates of wage, working hours, and hourly wage, respectively.

† The value of board and lodging, estimated at 11s. to 19s. per week (according to class of establishment) in Sydney; 14s. in Melbourne; 15s. and 17s. in Brisbane; 14s. (Restaurants) and 15s. (Hotels and Clubs) in Adelaide; 22s. in Perth; and 15s. in Tasmania is included, where provided, in order that the rate may be comparable with those paid in other industries.

Weighted Average Nominal Weekly Rate of Wage Payable to Adult Workers for a Full Week's Work in each State and Commonwealth, 30th April, 1914, to 31st December, 1919.

Dates.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	C'wlth.
MALES.							
30th April, 1914	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
31st December, 1914	55 9	54 3	52 8	54 4	62 2
31st March, 1915	56 2	54 7	53 5	54 5	62 10
30th June, 1915	56 3	54 8	53 4	54 3	63 1
30th September, 1915	56 8	54 8	53 4	54 3	63 1
31st December, 1915	56 10	54 11	53 8	54 3	63 1
31st March, 1916	57 7	55 3	54 4	54 8	63 4
30th June, 1916	58 2	56 7	55 1	55 8	63 4
30th September, 1916	58 11	57 0	56 5	56 1	63 4
31st December, 1916	59 6	57 9	57 11	56 6	63 8
31st March, 1917	61 11	58 10	60 4	59 0	65 2
30th June, 1917	62 7	60 0	61 2	59 8	65 5
30th September, 1917	63 5	61 2	62 4	61 0	66 4
31st December, 1917	63 9	62 3	63 5	61 6	67 10
31st March, 1918	64 5	63 0	65 3	63 1	68 11
30th June, 1918	64 8	63 2	65 4	63 1	69 0
30th September, 1918	64 9	63 4	65 7	63 3	69 5
31st December, 1918	65 0	63 9	67 0	63 7	69 6
31st March, 1919	65 11	65 6	69 6	65 6	70 4
30th June, 1919	68 0	66 7	70 0	65 10	70 7
30th September, 1919	68 9	67 5	71 6	66 9	71 2
31st December, 1919	69 9	68 5	72 6	68 3	73 11
	76 9	72 0	78 7	70 5	77 8

FEMALES.

	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
30th April, 1914	26 9	27 4	26 11	24 1	37 4	25 10
31st December, 1914	26 10	27 9	27 1	24 1	37 4	25 10
31st March, 1915	26 10	26 11	27 2	24 0	37 5	26 3
30th June, 1915	27 2	26 11	27 2	24 0	37 5	26 3
30th September, 1915	27 3	26 11	26 11	24 0	37 5	26 3
31st December, 1915	27 5	26 11	26 11	24 6	37 5	28 0
31st March, 1916	27 7	27 11	26 11	24 6	37 5	28 4
30th June, 1916	27 7	27 11	26 11	24 6	37 5	27 9
30th September, 1916	27 11	28 2	27 2	24 10	37 5	27 9
31st December, 1916	28 7	28 5	27 3	24 10	38 10	28 3
31st March, 1917	29 1	28 10	27 5	25 9	38 10	28 4
30th June, 1917	29 3	28 10	27 9	27 3	38 10	28 4
30th September, 1917	30 2	29 7	30 0	27 8	38 10	28 4
31st December, 1917	30 5	30 4	30 5	27 9	38 10	28 5
31st March, 1918	31 0	30 5	30 7	27 10	38 10	28 5
30th June, 1918	31 3	30 6	30 8	28 6	38 10	28 5
30th September, 1918	31 5	30 9	32 3	28 8	38 10	28 5
31st December, 1918	31 10	31 3	32 10	29 5	38 10	28 9
31st March, 1919	33 6	32 2	33 0	29 5	38 10	28 9
30th June, 1919	33 7	32 2	33 2	29 7	38 11	28 9
30th September, 1919	34 0	32 3	33 10	29 7	38 11	28 9
31st December, 1919	40 0	34 5	38 4	33 3	43 7	33 0

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VARIATIONS IN NOMINAL WEEKLY WAGE INDEX-NUMBERS IN DIFFERENT STATES, 1914, to 31st DECEMBER, 1919.

NOTE.—Index numbers based on the average wage for the Commonwealth at the 30th April, 1914, as base (= 1,000). The index-numbers in each table are comparable throughout.

Dates.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'land.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	C'wlth.
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MALES.

30th April, 1914	1,011	984	955	986	1,128	952	1,000*
30th June, 1914..	1,014	985	958	986	1,139	954	1,003
30th September, 1914	1,019	990	967	988	1,140	956	1,008
31st December, 1914	1,019	990	969	988	1,140	956	1,008
31st March, 1915	1,021	992	967	984	1,144	957	1,009
30th June, 1915..	1,028	992	967	984	1,145	957	1,012
30th September, 1915	1,031	996	974	985	1,145	958	1,015
31st December, 1915	1,044	1,002	986	992	1,149	965	1,023
1st March, 1916	1,055	1,026	999	1,011	1,149	976	1,039
30th June, 1916..	1,069	1,035	1,024	1,018	1,149	986	1,051
30th September, 1916	1,079	1,047	1,051	1,025	1,155	993	1,064
31st December, 1916	1,123	1,067	1,095	1,071	1,182	1,034	1,100
31st March, 1917	1,136	1,089	1,110	1,083	1,186	1,044	1,115
30th June, 1917..	1,151	1,109	1,131	1,107	1,203	1,044	1,132
30th September, 1917	1,157	1,130	1,151	1,116	1,231	1,061	1,147
31st December, 1917	1,168	1,143	1,183	1,144	1,250	1,081	1,164
31st March, 1918	1,173	1,146	1,186	1,145	1,253	1,085	1,167
30th June, 1918..	1,175	1,149	1,190	1,147	1,259	1,092	1,171
30th September, 1918	1,179	1,156	1,216	1,154	1,261	1,094	1,179
31st December, 1918	1,196	1,189	1,261	1,188	1,276	1,110	1,205
31st March, 1919	1,234	1,209	1,270	1,194	1,281	1,122	1,228
30th June, 1919..	1,248	1,224	1,298	1,211	1,291	1,139	1,244
30th September, 1919	1,266	1,241	1,315	1,237	1,341	1,160	1,265
31st December, 1919	1,393	1,306	1,426	1,277	1,409	1,251	1,359

FEMALES.

30th April, 1914	984	1,006	989	885	1,373	950	1,000*
30th June, 1914..	984	1,006	993	885	1,373	950	1,000
30th September, 1914	987	1,022	990	885	1,373	950	1,006
31st December, 1914	987	1,022	996	885	1,373	950	1,008
31st March, 1915	987	989	999	883	1,376	964	996
30th June, 1915..	998	989	999	883	1,376	964	1,000
30th September, 1915	1,003	990	990	883	1,376	1,031	1,002
31st December, 1915	1,007	990	990	901	1,376	1,031	1,005
31st March, 1916	1,015	1,025	991	901	1,376	1,042	1,022
30th June, 1916..	1,013	1,027	991	902	1,376	1,019	1,021
30th September, 1916	1,027	1,037	998	913	1,376	1,019	1,032
31st December, 1916	1,050	1,047	1,004	915	1,429	1,041	1,047
31st March, 1917	1,072	1,061	1,009	947	1,430	1,042	1,064
30th June, 1917..	1,078	1,061	1,021	1,004	1,430	1,042	1,071
30th September, 1917	1,109	1,090	1,105	1,019	1,430	1,042	1,105
31st December, 1917	1,119	1,116	1,120	1,020	1,430	1,045	1,121
31st March, 1918	1,140	1,120	1,125	1,024	1,430	1,047	1,130
30th June, 1918..	1,149	1,121	1,128	1,050	1,430	1,047	1,137
30th September, 1918	1,156	1,131	1,186	1,054	1,430	1,047	1,149
31st December, 1918	1,173	1,151	1,208	1,084	1,430	1,059	1,168
31st March, 1919	1,234	1,183	1,215	1,084	1,430	1,059	1,204
30th June, 1919..	1,235	1,184	1,222	1,089	1,434	1,059	1,206
30th September, 1919	1,251	1,186	1,247	1,089	1,434	1,059	1,216
31st December, 1919	1,474	1,268	1,412	1,225	1,605	1,215	1,365

* Basis of Table.

Boards Authorized and Constituted, Awards, Determinations and Agreements in Force, 31st December, 1919.

Particulars.	C'wlth.	N.S.W.	Vic.	Q'ld.	S.A.	W.A.	Tas.	Total.
1. <i>Boards Authorized and Constituted—</i>								
Number of Boards authorized ..	..	*241	158	†2	58	..	46	505
" " " constituted ..	..	*241	154	†2	56	..	45	498
2. <i>Boards Constituted which have made Awards or Determinations—</i>								
Number of Boards which had made or varied awards or determinations ..	..	226	147	2	53	..	37	465
" " " which had not made any award or determination ..	..	15	7	..	§3	..	8	33
3. <i>Number of Awards and Determinations in Force† ..</i>	96	316	151	206	88	48	37	942
4. <i>Scope of State Awards and Determinations—</i>								
Number applying to the whole State Metropolitan area ..	..	23	19	30	..	5	36	113
" " " only ..	..	94	1	54	70	30	..	249
" " " Metropolitan and Country towns ..	..	120	121	40	5	2	1	289
" " " Country areas ..	..	79	10	82	13	11	..	195
5. <i>Number of Commonwealth Awards in Force in each State ..</i>	..	71	70	49	63	44	56	..
6. <i>Industrial Agreements in Force ..</i>	570	89	..	65	28	91	..	843
7. <i>Number of Commonwealth Agreements in Force in each State ..</i>	..	141	282	58	56	26	91	..

* Excluding Special Demarcation Boards. † The Court of Industrial Arbitration constituted in 1916 is now undertaking the work formerly performed by Industrial Boards in Queensland. ‡ Including awards made by Industrial Courts. § The Industrial Court has made orders covering the occupations for which certain of these Boards were authorized.

Section VII.—Prices, House Rent, and Purchasing-Power of Money.

Purchasing-Power-of-Money Index-Numbers, General Results of Investigation in each Metropolitan Town, 1901 to 1919.*

TOWN.	1901.	1907.	1909.	1910.	1911.	1912.	1913.	1914.	1915.	1916.	1917.	1918.	1919.
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GROUPS I., II., AND III. COMBINED.—GROCERIES AND FOOD.

Sydney ..	917	936	1,012	1,000	989	1,124	1,131	1,156	1,396	1,520	1,540	1,549	1,783
Melbourne ..	965	925	949	960	935	1,082	1,024	1,091	1,411	1,462	1,412	1,466	1,620
Brisbane ..	965	947	983	1,000	1,018	1,102	1,042	1,078	1,373	1,426	1,405	1,495	1,762
Adelaide ..	1,028	951	1,025	1,001	1,020	1,154	1,119	1,215	1,487	1,532	1,445	1,554	1,719
Perth ..	1,184	1,197	1,212	1,251	1,346	1,345	1,267	1,302	1,483	1,542	1,505	1,486	1,772
Hobart ..	1,011	1,010	1,093	1,073	1,058	1,190	1,164	1,212	1,445	1,523	1,544	1,635	1,748
Weighted Average*..	972	955	1,006	1,005	1,000	1,129	1,095	1,144	1,416	1,495	1,472	1,514	1,716

GROUP IV.—HOUSE RENT.

Sydney ..	858	911	955	988	1,090	1,183	1,246	1,279	1,220	1,212	1,216	1,252	1,289
Melbourne ..	733	804	842	916	970	1,016	1,089	1,126	1,085	1,089	1,124	1,180	1,283
Brisbane ..	488	575	662	700	767	804	863	882	859	847	859	905	983
Adelaide ..	629	812	940	1,018	1,112	1,160	1,125	1,040	932	930	959	1,022	1,108
Perth ..	801	684	667	696	810	880	928	914	848	869	874	885	916
Hobart ..	667	708	749	776	805	829	887	914	928	928	951	956	1,134
Weighted Average*..	751	816	867	919	1,000	1,063	1,118	1,135	1,081	1,081	1,098	1,143	1,215

ALL GROUPS COMBINED.—GROCERIES, FOOD, AND HOUSE RENT.

Sydney ..	893	926	989	995	1,031	1,148	1,178	1,206	1,323	1,394	1,407	1,427	1,580
Melbourne ..	870	875	905	942	950	1,055	1,051	1,105	1,277	1,309	1,294	1,349	1,481
Brisbane ..	769	794	851	877	915	979	969	997	1,162	1,188	1,181	1,252	1,442
Adelaide ..	864	894	990	1,008	1,058	1,157	1,121	1,143	1,259	1,285	1,245	1,335	1,468
Perth ..	1,027	986	988	1,023	1,126	1,154	1,128	1,143	1,222	1,266	1,246	1,239	1,420
Hobart ..	869	886	952	951	954	1,042	1,053	1,090	1,233	1,278	1,301	1,356	1,496
Weighted Average*..	880	897	948	970	1,000	1,101	1,104	1,140	1,278	1,324	1,318	1,362	1,510

* Index-Numbers for intervening years not given may be found in Labour Report No. 6, p. 26.

WEIGHTED AVERAGE WEEKLY RENTALS IN CAPITAL TOWNS, 2nd QUARTER 1918, TO 2nd QUARTER, 1920, INCLUSIVE.

TOWN.	1918.			1919.				1920.	
	2nd Quarter (April to June).	3rd Quarter (July to Sept.).	4th Quarter (Oct. to Dec.).	1st Quarter (Jan. to March).	2nd Quarter (April to June).	3rd Quarter (July to Sept.).	4th Quarter (Oct. to Dec.).	1st Quarter (Jan. to March).	2nd Quarter (April to June).
Sydney ..	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
Melbourne ..	19 7	19 6	19 8	19 10	19 11	20 2	20 6	21 4	22 2
Brisbane ..	18 1	18 5	19 2	19 6	19 11	20 0	20 9	21 2	21 6
Adelaide ..	13 10	14 4	14 6	14 11	15 0	15 4	16 2	16 2	16 6
Perth ..	15 10	16 2	16 5	16 11	17 4	17 5	17 6	18 0	18 10
Hobart ..	13 10	13 10	13 10	14 3	14 3	14 3	14 6	15 0	15 4
	14 8	15 1	15 2	16 7	17 0	18 4	18 11	20 4	21 1

NOTE.—The Rentals are shown to the nearest penny.

Purchasing-Power-of-Money Index-Numbers (Food, Groceries, and House Rent), for each of Thirty Towns, 1912, 1914, 1916 to 1920 (2nd Quarter), with Weighted Average for Six Capital Towns in 1911 as Base (=1000).[†]

Particulars.	1912.	1914.	1916.	1917.	1918.	1919.		1920.	
	Whole Year.	Whole Year.	Whole Year.	Whole Year.	Whole Year.	2nd Qtr. (Apr. to June).	1st Qtr. (Jan. to March).	2nd Qtr. (Apr. to June).	
NEW SOUTH WALES—									
Sydney ..	1,148	1,206	1,394	1,407	1,427	1,580	1,568	1,735	1,820
Newcastle ..	955	994	1,208	1,222	1,269	1,493	1,455	1,640	1,728
Broken Hill [§] ..	1,080	1,068	1,282	1,315	1,321	1,419	1,390	1,547	1,704
Goulburn ..	1,042	1,130	1,350	1,338	1,362	1,524	1,494	1,685	1,761
Bathurst ..	919	987	1,178	1,193	1,210	1,340	1,327	1,454	1,572
*Weighted Average	1,125	1,179	1,370	1,383	1,406	1,562	1,547	1,715	1,804
VICTORIA—									
Melbourne ..	1,055	1,105	1,309	1,294	1,349	1,481	1,451	1,569	1,758
Ballarat ..	914	904	1,126	1,083	1,107	1,198	1,163	1,328	1,517
Bendigo ..	926	922	1,118	1,093	1,139	1,215	1,194	1,331	1,520
Geelong ..	996	1,012	1,233	1,221	1,233	1,347	1,317	1,453	1,598
Warrnambool ..	935	959	1,185	1,168	1,203	1,311	1,269	1,436	1,579
*Weighted Average	1,033	1,073	1,279	1,262	1,311	1,436	1,406	1,530	1,717
QUEENSLAND—									
Brisbane ..	979	997	1,188	1,181	1,252	1,442	1,401	1,613	1,652
Toowoomba ..	977	950	1,133	1,116	1,208	1,402	1,369	1,577	1,575
Rockhampton ..	962	988	1,216	1,163	1,224	1,408	1,380	1,555	1,550
Charters Towers ..	1,008	988	1,182	1,187	1,277	1,454	1,430	1,578	1,543
Warwick ..	1,004	912	1,102	1,124	1,240	1,398	1,374	1,518	1,574
*Weighted Average	981	988	1,182	1,172	1,247	1,434	1,397	1,598	1,622
SOUTH AUSTRALIA—									
Adelaide ..	1,157	1,143	1,285	1,245	1,335	1,468	1,459	1,585	1,753
Kadina, Moonta, Wallaroo ..	917	960	1,204	1,193	1,231	1,330	1,303	1,435	1,544
Port Pirie [§] ..	1,004	1,055	1,261	1,269	1,320	1,424	1,411	1,488	1,617
Mount Gambier ..	874	923	1,165	1,132	1,176	1,222	1,200	1,297	1,441
Peterborough ..	1,014	1,126	1,251	1,226	1,253	1,369	1,356	1,474	1,610
*Weighted Average	1,126	1,122	1,275	1,239	1,323	1,449	1,439	1,562	1,723
WEST AUSTRALIA									
Perth and Fremantle ..	1,154	1,143	1,266	1,246	1,239	1,420	1,459	1,518	1,654
Kalgoorlie and Boulder ..	1,334	1,291	1,418	1,398	1,393	1,545	1,570	1,624	1,735
Mid. Junction and Guilford ..	1,123	1,104	1,226	1,186	1,161	1,313	1,338	1,399	1,550
Bunbury ..	1,104	1,111	1,214	1,193	1,144	1,309	1,293	1,340	1,484
Geraldton ..	1,255	1,315	1,372	1,349	1,323	1,425	1,417	1,514	1,648
*Weighted Average	1,191	1,175	1,297	1,275	1,267	1,438	1,471	1,530	1,661
TASMANIA—									
Hobart ..	1,042	1,090	1,278	1,301	1,356	1,496	1,440	1,676	1,785
Launceston ..	999	1,014	1,253	1,258	1,310	1,409	1,376	1,532	1,631
Zeehan ..	952	898	1,095	1,083	1,145	1,222	1,197	1,340	1,442
Beaconsfield ..	827	813	1,035	1,034	1,040	1,105	1,075	1,186	1,259
Queenstown ..	988	1,021	1,260	1,228	1,272	1,357	1,335	1,428	1,516
*Weighted Average	1,012	1,041	1,251	1,261	1,313	1,431	1,387	1,579	1,682
†Weighted Average for Commonwealth	1,080	1,113	1,301	1,294	1,336	1,481	1,462	1,606	1,734
¶ Townsville (Q.) ..	..	..	..	..	..	1,713	1,687	1,890	1,830

* Average for the five towns. † Average for thirty towns. ‡ See remarks on page 336 Labour Report No. 7, with reference to change of base period. § See remarks on page 367, Labour Report No. 7, paragraph (iv.) re house rent. ¶ Not included in weighted average for Queensland or the Commonwealth.

Purchasing-Power of Money.—Amounts necessary on the Average in each Year from 1901 to 1920 (2nd Quarter) to purchase in each Capital Town what would have cost on the Average £1 in 1911 in the Australian Capitals regarded as a whole.*

Year.	Sydney.	Melb'rne.	Brisbane.	Adelaide.	Perth.	Hobart.	Weighted Average of Six Capital Towns.	
							s.	d.
1901	17 10	17 5	15 5	17 3	20 6	17 5	17	7
1902	19 7	18 1	16 0	17 3	21 7	17 10	18	7
1903	19 2	17 7	15 9	16 9	21 8	17 11	18	2
1904	17 5	17 1	14 8	16 3	20 10	17 1	17	2
1905	18 9	17 7	15 5	17 6	20 11	17 9	18	0
1906	18 8	17 7	15 7	17 10	20 5	18 0	18	0
1907	18 6	17 6	15 11	17 11	19 9	17 9	17	11
1908	19 9	18 6	17 1	19 1	20 0	18 5	19	0
1909	19 9	18 1	17 0	19 10	19 9	19 0	19	0
1910	19 11	18 10	17 6	20 2	20 6	19 0	19	5
1911	20 7	19 0	18 4	21 2	22 6	19 1	20	0†
1912	22 11	21 1	19 7	23 2	23 1	20 10	22	0
1913	23 7	21 0	19 5	22 5	22 6	21 1	22	1
1914	24 1	22 1	19 11	22 10	22 10	21 10	22	10
1915	26 6	25 6	23 3	25 2	24 5	24 8	25	7
1916	27 10	26 2	23 9	25 8	25 4	25 7	26	6
1917	28 1	25 11	23 7	24 11	24 11	26 0	26	4
1918	28 6	27 0	25 1	26 8	24 9	27 1	27	3
1919	31 7	29 7	28 10	29 4	28 5	29 11	30	2
1912	1st Quarter	21 4	19 9	19 6	22 6	22 4	19	7
	2nd	22 5	20 10	19 6	23 2	23 8	20	2
	3rd	24 1	22 1	19 8	23 8	23 6	21	5
	4th	23 10	21 8	19 8	23 3	22 10	22	2
1913	1st	23 5	21 0	19 1	22 8	22 6	21	1
	2nd	23 10	21 2	19 7	22 11	22 11	21	3
	3rd	23 6	21 1	19 4	22 4	22 4	21	1
	4th	23 6	20 10	19 6	21 10	22 5	20	10
1914	1st	24 0	21 4	19 7	22 4	22 3	21	1
	2nd	24 3	22 7	19 9	23 6	22 10	22	0
	3rd	24 2	22 5	20 1	23 2	23 3	21	10
	4th	24 1	22 1	20 4	22 5	23 0	22	3
1915	1st	24 7	22 11	21 1	23 3	23 10	22	10
	2nd	25 2	25 3	22 8	25 4	24 8	24	3
	3rd	28 1	27 6	24 2	26 6	25 1	25	10
	4th	28 0	26 5	25 1	25 8	24 1	25	9
1916	1st	28 4	26 9	25 2	25 11	24 10	26	4
	2nd	27 10	26 5	24 1	26 2	25 7	25	11
	3rd	27 9	26 0	22 11	25 7	25 9	25	2
	4th	27 6	25 7	22 10	25 2	25 1	24	10
1917	1st	27 7	25 7	22 11	25 3	24 10	25	4
	2nd	27 9	25 9	23 3	25 2	25 6	25	3
	3rd	28 8	26 0	23 9	24 5	24 8	25	11
	4th	28 6	26 2	24 6	24 10	24 8	27	6
1918	1st	28 6	26 6	24 4	25 11	24 8	27	3
	2nd	28 7	26 11	24 9	27 3	25 4	27	1
	3rd	28 1	26 9	25 1	26 8	24 7	26	9
	4th	29 0	27 8	26 0	27 0	24 6	27	4
1919	1st	30 6	28 9	27 11	28 4	25 8	28	8
	2nd	31 4	29 1	28 1	29 2	29 2	28	10
	3rd	31 5	29 5	28 6	29 3	30 1	30	0
	4th	33 1	31 4	30 10	30 8	28 9	32	2
1920	1st	34 8	31 5	32 3	31 8	30 4	33	6
	2nd	36 5	35 2	33 0	35 1	33 1	35	8
								35 4

* These results are based upon the regimen referred to on pp. 20-23 Labour Report No. 6, which includes food, groceries, and housing accommodation.

† Basis of Table.

Purchasing-Power of Money.—Groceries and Food only.—Amount necessary on the Average in each Year from 1901 to 1920 (2nd Quarter) to purchase in each Capital Town what would have cost on the Average £1 in 1911 in the Australian Capitals regarded as a whole.*

Year.	Sydney.	Melb'rne.	Brisbane.	Adelaide.	Perth.	Hobart.	Weighted Average of Six Capital Towns.
	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	s. d.
1901	18 4	19 4	19 4	20 7	23 8	20 3	19 4
1902	21 4	20 4	20 4	20 6	25 6	21 0	21 1
1903	20 7	19 6	19 9	19 8	25 8	21 1	20 4
1904	17 6	18 4	17 10	18 10	24 3	19 8	18 5
1905	19 5	19 1	18 11	19 10	25 2	20 7	19 8
1906	19 3	18 11	19 2	19 8	24 9	20 11	19 7
1907	18 9	18 6	18 11	19 0	23 11	20 2	19 1
1908	20 7	19 11	20 6	20 2	24 6	21 1	20 7
1909	20 3	19 0	19 8	20 6	24 3	21 10	20 1
1910	20 0	19 2	20 0	20 0	25 0	21 6	20 1
1911	19 9	18 8	20 4	20 5	26 11	21 2	20 0†
1912	22 6	21 8	22 0	23 1	26 11	23 13	22 6
1913	22 8	20 6	20 10	22 5	25 4	23 3	21 11
1914	23 1	21 10	21 7	24 4	26 0	24 3	22 11
1915	27 11	28 3	27 6	29 9	29 8	28 11	28 4
1916	30 5	29 3	28 6	30 8	30 10	30 5	29 11
1917	30 10	28 3	28 2	28 11	30 1	30 11	29 5
1918	31 0	29 4	29 11	31 1	29 9	32 8	30 3
1919	35 8	32 5	35 3	34 5	35 5	35 0	34 4
1912	1st Quarter	20 9	19 9	21 11	22 0	26 0	21 10
	2nd	21 10	21 5	21 11	22 11	28 2	22 11
	3rd	23 11	23 2	22 1	23 10	27 4	24 8
	4th	23 6	22 3	22 3	23 6	26 1	25 9
1913	1st	22 9	20 9	20 9	22 5	25 6	23 2
	2nd	23 2	20 10	21 2	22 11	26 0	23 9
	3rd	22 7	20 5	20 10	22 4	25 0	23 5
	4th	22 1	20 0	20 8	21 10	24 11	22 9
1914	1st	23 0	20 7	20 11	22 11	24 11	23 3
	2nd	23 3	22 4	21 2	25 0	25 11	24 7
	3rd	23 1	22 0	21 8	24 7	26 9	24 3
	4th	23 1	22 4	22 6	24 8	26 7	24 10
1915	1st	24 7	23 9	23 11	26 4	28 5	25 10
	2nd	25 9	27 8	26 4	30 2	30 2	28 3
	3rd	30 9	31 8	29 0	32 0	30 11	30 10
	4th	30 7	29 10	30 8	30 6	29 2	30 8
1916	1st	31 4	30 2	31 0	31 0	30 1	31 10
	2nd	30 4	29 8	29 1	31 6	31 3	31 1
	3rd	30 2	29 0	27 1	30 5	31 7	29 9
	4th	29 8	28 2	26 10	29 8	30 5	29 1
1917	1st	30 0	27 11	27 0	29 6	30 0	29 10
	2nd	30 1	28 3	27 6	29 4	31 1	29 8
	3rd	31 9	28 5	28 5	28 1	29 8	30 8
	4th	31 4	28 5	29 7	28 8	29 7	33 5
1918	1st	31 1	28 11	28 11	30 3	29 7	33 2
	2nd	31 0	29 7	29 8	32 2	30 8	32 11
	3rd	30 3	29 0	29 9	30 9	29 5	31 11
	4th	31 7	29 10	31 3	31 1	29 2	32 10
1919	1st	34 0	31 3	34 2	33 0	30 10	33 10
	2nd	35 5	31 6	34 2	34 0	36 10	33 9
	3rd	35 4	32 1	34 7	34 2	38 3	34 7
	4th	37 10	34 8	38 0	36 4	35 10	37 8
1920	1st	39 10	34 4	40 4	37 9	38 2	38 8
	2nd	42 0	40 6	41 4	42 9	42 5	41 10

* These results are based upon the regimen referred to on pp. 20-23 Labour Report No. 6.

† Basis of Table.

Purchasing-Power of Money.—House Rent.—Amount payable on the Average in each Year from 1901 to 1920 (2nd Quarter) for House Rent in each Capital Town, compared with a rent of £1 in 1911 in the Australian Capitals regarded as a whole.

Year.	Sydney.	Melb'rne.	Brisbane.	Adelaide.	Perth.	Hobart.	Weighted Average of Six Capital Towns.	
							s.	d.
1901	..	..	17 3	14 8	9 9	12 7	16 0	13 4
1902	..	..	17 3	14 11	9 10	12 7	15 11	13 5
1903	..	..	17 4	14 11	10 1	12 7	16 0	13 6
1904	..	..	17 5	15 3	10 2	12 7	16 0	13 6
1905	..	..	17 10	15 5	10 5	14 0	14 9	13 7
1906	..	..	17 11	15 8	10 6	15 3	14 4	13 9
1907	..	..	18 4	16 1	11 6	16 3	13 8	14 2
1908	..	..	18 7	16 7	12 4	17 5	13 7	14 7
1909	..	..	19 2	16 10	13 3	18 10	13 4	15 0
1910	..	..	19 10	18 4	14 0	20 4	13 11	15 6
1911	..	..	21 10	19 5	15 4	22 3	16 3	16 1
1912	..	..	23 8	20 4	16 1	23 2	17 7	16 7
1913	..	..	24 11	21 10	17 3	22 6	18 7	17 10
1914	..	..	25 7	22 6	17 8	20 10	18 3	18 3
1915	..	..	24 5	21 8	17 2	18 8	17 0	18 7
1916	..	..	24 3	21 9	17 0	18 7	17 4	18 7
1917	..	..	24 3	22 6	17 5	19 2	17 5	19 0
1918	..	..	25 0	23 7	18 1	20 5	17 8	19 1
1919	..	..	25 9	25 8	19 8	22 2	18 4	22 8
	1st Quarter	..	22 4	19 8	16 0	23 3	17 0	16 3
1912	2nd	..	23 4	20 0	16 1	23 5	17 2	16 4
	3rd	..	24 7	20 7	16 2	23 5	18 0	16 10
	4th	..	24 4	20 11	16 0	22 11	18 3	16 11
	1st	..	24 5	21 4	16 10	22 11	18 3	18 0
1913	2nd	..	24 10	21 9	17 2	22 11	18 6	17 9
	3rd	..	24 11	22 0	17 3	22 3	18 7	17 8
	4th	..	25 6	22 1	17 10	21 10	18 11	18 0
	1st	..	25 6	22 5	17 8	21 6	18 5	18 1
1914	2nd	..	25 9	22 10	17 10	21 5	18 5	18 3
	3rd	..	25 8	22 11	17 10	21 1	18 4	18 5
	4th	..	25 5	21 10	17 4	19 3	17 11	18 6
	1st	..	24 7	21 10	17 1	18 10	17 5	18 6
1915	2nd	..	24 5	21 9	17 4	18 6	16 11	18 7
	3rd	..	24 5	21 7	17 2	18 7	16 10	18 7
	4th	..	24 3	21 7	17 2	18 7	16 10	18 7
	1st	..	24 2	21 9	16 10	18 7	17 5	18 5
1916	2nd	..	24 3	21 8	16 11	18 7	17 5	18 6
	3rd	..	24 3	21 9	17 0	18 7	17 4	18 7
	4th	..	24 3	21 11	17 2	18 8	17 4	18 10
	1st	..	24 3	22 3	17 10	19 1	17 5	18 11
1917	2nd	..	24 3	22 3	17 3	19 1	17 5	19 0
	3rd	..	24 2	22 7	17 3	19 2	17 6	19 1
	4th	..	24 6	22 10	17 2	19 5	17 6	19 1
	1st	..	24 9	23 1	17 8	19 8	17 8	18 10
1918	2nd	..	25 1	23 2	17 9	20 4	17 8	18 10
	3rd	..	25 0	23 8	18 5	20 9	17 8	19 4
	4th	..	25 3	24 7	18 6	21 1	17 9	19 5
	1st	..	25 5	25 0	19 1	21 8	18 3	21 3
1919	2nd	..	25 7	25 6	19 2	22 3	18 3	21 9
	3rd	..	25 10	25 8	19 8	22 3	18 3	23 6
	4th	..	26 4	26 7	20 8	22 6	18 6	24 3
	1st	..	27 4	27 2	20 8	23 1	19 3	26 1
1920	2nd	..	28 4	27 6	21 2	24 1	19 8	27 0
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RETAIL PRICE INDEX-NUMBERS (FOOD AND GROCERIES), FOR EACH OF
THIRTY TOWNS FOR THE MONTHS SPECIFIED, WITH WEIGHTED
AVERAGE FOR SIX CAPITAL TOWNS IN 1911 AS BASE (=1000).†

Particulars.	1914.	1915.	1916.	1917.	1918.	1919.		1920.		Per cent. increase from July, 1914, to June, 1920.
	July.	June.	June.	June.	June.	May.	June.	May.	June.	
NEW SOUTH WALES—										%
Sydney	1,153	1,338	1,512	1,507	1,548	1,768	1,777	2,052	2,192	90.1
Newcastle	1,147	1,334	1,489	1,529	1,581	1,776	1,786	2,079	2,148	87.3
Broken Hill	1,468	1,666	1,844	1,807	1,850	1,827	1,887	2,378	2,484	69.2
Goulburn	1,183	1,335	1,542	1,458	1,537	1,746	1,745	2,067	2,155	82.2
Bathurst	1,097	1,297	1,483	1,480	1,529	1,663	1,652	2,016	2,101	91.5
*Weighted Average	1,165	1,351	1,524	1,520	1,562	1,770	1,780	2,068	2,198	88.7
VICTORIA—										%
Melbourne	1,106	1,478	1,479	1,418	1,486	1,564	1,573	2,007	2,153	94.7
Ballarat	1,103	1,503	1,501	1,403	1,456	1,530	1,534	2,037	2,146	94.6
Bendigo	1,107	1,464	1,480	1,440	1,482	1,522	1,528	1,937	2,133	92.7
Geelong	1,089	1,429	1,506	1,434	1,473	1,541	1,549	1,935	2,077	90.7
Warrnambool	1,087	1,439	1,484	1,438	1,514	1,567	1,559	1,945	2,018	85.6
*Weighted Average	1,105	1,476	1,482	1,419	1,484	1,558	1,566	2,001	2,146	94.2
QUEENSLAND—										%
Brisbane	1,057	1,344	1,391	1,380	1,494	1,704	1,704	2,060	2,118	100.4
Toowoomba	1,041	1,390	1,397	1,372	1,470	1,755	1,756	2,001	2,041	96.1
Rockhampton	1,156	1,403	1,485	1,424	1,502	1,797	1,755	2,068	2,090	80.8
Charters Towers	1,246	1,563	1,640	1,555	1,675	1,911	1,966	2,082	2,092	67.9
Warwick	1,083	1,393	1,392	1,406	1,556	1,770	1,770	2,045	2,124	96.1
*Weighted Average	1,082	1,374	1,422	1,399	1,509	1,738	1,738	2,056	2,106	94.6
SOUTH AUSTRALIA—										%
Adelaide	1,250	1,609	1,590	1,441	1,614	1,703	1,727	2,114	2,267	81.4
Kadina, Moonta, Wallaroo	1,230	1,632	1,627	1,571	1,590	1,661	1,683	2,045	2,119	72.3
Port Pirie	1,291	1,652	1,645	1,613	1,654	1,726	1,724	2,056	2,131	65.1
Mt. Gambier	1,064	1,487	1,500	1,441	1,538	1,543	1,554	1,913	2,015	89.4
Peterborough	1,340	1,577	1,647	1,602	1,602	1,699	1,719	2,125	2,202	64.3
*Weighted Average	1,247	1,606	1,593	1,458	1,612	1,697	1,719	2,101	2,243	79.9
WESTERN AUSTRALIA—										%
Perth and Fremantle	1,340	1,528	1,630	1,543	1,552	1,891	1,925	2,121	2,161	61.3
Kalgoolie and Boulder	1,664	1,823	1,867	1,802	1,788	2,188	2,126	2,311	2,421	45.5
Midland Junc. and Guildford	1,354	1,549	1,608	1,566	1,539	1,837	1,841	2,138	2,179	60.9
Bunbury	1,418	1,621	1,723	1,745	1,682	1,895	1,905	2,100	2,120	49.5
Geraldton	1,445	1,703	1,691	1,642	1,630	1,745	1,779	2,112	2,145	48.4
*Weighted Average	1,412	1,597	1,682	1,605	1,606	1,946	1,958	2,160	2,214	56.8
TASMANIA—										%
Hobart	1,211	1,449	1,525	1,497	1,645	1,678	1,675	2,095	2,149	77.5
Launceston	1,144	1,385	1,514	1,497	1,580	1,645	1,681	2,034	2,093	83.0
Zeehan	1,292	1,578	1,690	1,625	1,769	1,804	1,831	2,188	2,282	76.6
Beaconsfield	1,230	1,488	1,634	1,615	1,625	1,678	1,697	2,038	2,058	67.3
Queenstown	1,315	1,582	1,729	1,643	1,733	1,842	1,863	2,132	2,214	68.4
*Weighted Average	1,201	1,445	1,547	1,517	1,636	1,684	1,697	2,080	2,138	78.0
† Weighted Average for Cwlth. 1,164	1,443	1,519	1,473	1,541	1,696	1,706	2,054	2,175	86.9	
** Townsville (Queensland) .. ..	..	..	..	..	1,684	1,898	1,951	2,223	2,240	..

* Average for the five towns. † Average for thirty towns.

‡ See remarks on page 31 of Labour Report No. 6 with reference to change of base period.

** Not included in weighted average for Queensland or the Commonwealth.

NOTE.—Corresponding index-numbers for the intervening months are given in Labour Reports Nos. 6, 7, 8, and 9, in Labour Bulletins Nos. 17 and 18, and in the Quarterly Summaries of Statistics Nos. 70 to 79.

**MELBOURNE WHOLESALE PRICE INDEX-NUMBERS, 1861 TO JUNE, 1920,
COMPUTED TO YEAR 1911 AS BASE (=1000).**

Year.	I. Metals and Coal.	II. Jute, Leather, &c.	III. Agri- cultural Pro- duce, &c.	IV. Dairy Pro- duce.	V. Gro- ceries.	VI. Meat.	VII. Build- ing Ma- terials.	VIII. Chem- i- cals.	All Groups.
1861 ..	1,438	1,381	1,583	1,008	1,963	..	1,070	2,030	1,538
1871 ..	1,096	1,257	1,236	864	1,586	..	1,044	1, 09	1,229
1881 ..	1,178	1,115	1,012	935	1,421	..	1,091	1,587	1,121
1891 ..	895	847	1,024	995	1,032	888	780	1,194	945
1901 ..	1,061	774	928	1,029	1,048	1,345	841	917	974
1902 ..	1,007	756	1,192	1,215	945	1,447	837	881	1,051
1903 ..	923	834	1,209	1,059	936	1,443	875	921	1,049
1904 ..	821	885	754	876	916	1,427	845	875	890
1905 ..	772	850	894	980	942	1,209	801	859	910
1906 ..	882	978	916	972	923	1,110	896	864	948
1907 ..	1,037	1,017	973	1,020	948	1,294	968	961	1,021
1908 ..	1,033	901	1,312	1,198	968	1,335	935	891	1,115
1909 ..	1,014	907	1,000	1,119	978	1,088	911	815	993
1910 ..	1,004	1,052	969	1,100	999	1,008	996	898	1,003
1911 ..	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000	1,000
1912 ..	1,021	991	1,370	1,206	1,052	1,357	1,057	978	1,170
1913 ..	1,046	1,070	1,097	1,054	1,024	1,252	1,128	995	1,088
1914 ..	1,099	1,032	1,207	1,137	1,021	1,507	1,081	1,253	1,149
1915 ..	1,284	1,017	2,162	1,530	1,133	2,435	1,275	1,528	1,604
1916 ..	1,695	1,423	1,208	1,485	1,322	2,515	1,491	1,760	1,504
1917 ..	2,129	2,008	1,157	1,423	1,343	2,403	1,884	2,171	1,662
1918 ..	2,416	2,360	1,444	1,454	1,422	2,385	2,686	3,225	1,934
1919 ..	2,125	2,363	1,985	1,651	1,516	2,348	2,851	2,898	2,055
January, 1920..	2,079	2,972	2,420	1,722	1,605	2,377	3,090	2,746	2,311
February, 1920..	2,112	3,085	2,424	1,792	1,659	2,409	3,141	2,786	2,354
March, 1920..	2,258	3,055	2,411	1,942	1,653	2,360	3,262	2,868	2,383
April, 1920..	2,258	2,977	2,497	2,035	1,985	2,595	3,262	2,868	2,478
May, 1920..	2,351	2,884	2,692	2,124	2,028	2,749	3,367	3,047	2,567
June, 1920..	2,351	2,828	2,792	2,249	2,013	3,370	3,367	3,047	2,658

COMMONWEALTH OF AUSTRALIA.—SUMMARY OF IMPORTS AND PRODUCTION.

	1909.	1910.	1911.	1912.	1913.	1914-5.	1915-6.	1916-7.	1917-8.	1918-9.
IMPORTS OF MERCHANDISE.										
Merchandise dutiable at rates exceeding 10 per cent. <i>ad val.</i> —										
Manufactured { value £ per cent.	24,876,691 100	27,960,456 112	32,181,772 129	38,439,915 155	36,693,218 148	32,684,210 131	35,589,296 143	34,232,092 138	26,930,905 108	37,447,386 151
Unmanufactured { value £ per cent.	1,425,628 100	1,452,991 102	1,747,581 123	2,998,134 210	2,377,850 167	3,167,333 222	*6,147,948 431	2,056,178 144	1,493,170 105	2,596,317 182
Total dutiable at rates exceeding 10 { value £ per cent. { per cent.	26,302,319 100	29,413,447 112	33,929,353 129	41,438,049 158	39,071,068 149	35,851,543 136	41,737,244 159	36,288,270 138	28,424,075 108	40,043,703 152
Merchandise free and dutiable at rates not exceeding 10 per cent. <i>ad val.</i> —										
Manufactured { value £ per cent.	21,147,520 100	25,297,315 120	27,320,541 129	31,361,005 148	35,237,582 167	23,913,698 113	29,833,737 141	34,564,817 163	26,723,648 128	48,310,077 228
Unmanufactured { value £ per cent.	2,665,682 100	3,971,629 149	3,748,013 141	3,684,306 133	3,887,459 146	3,798,540 142	5,169,918 194	5,103,318 191	5,529,627 207	6,513,679 244
Total free and dutiable at rates not { value £ exceeding 10 per cent. <i>ad val.</i> { per cent.	23,813,202 100	29,268,944 123	31,068,554 130	35,045,311 147	39,125,041 164	27,712,238 116	35,003,655 147	39,668,135 167	32,253,275 135	54,823,756 230
Total manufactured merchandise { value £ per cent.	46,024,211 100	53,257,771 116	59,502,313 129	69,800,920 152	71,930,800 156	56,597,908 123	65,423,033 142	68,796,909 149	53,654,553 117	85,757,463 183
Total unmanufactured merchandise { value £ per cent.	4,091,310 100	5,424,620 133	5,495,594 134	6,682,440 163	6,265,309 153	6,965,873 170	11,317,866 277	7,159,496 175	7,022,797 172	9,109,996 223
Total imports of merchandise { value £ per cent.	50,115,521 100	58,682,391 117	64,997,907 130	76,483,360 153	78,196,109 156	63,563,781 127	76,740,899 153	75,956,405 152	60,677,350 121	94,867,459 189
PRODUCTION OF COMMONWEALTH MANUFACTURING INDUSTRIES.										
Total output of manufacturing industries { value £ per cent.	105,958,328 100	120,860,158 114	133,022,090 126	148,775,407 140	161,560,763 152	166,450,508 157	169,086,700 160	172,574,845 163	206,386,646 195	225,753,611 213
Value added to raw materials by manufacturing processes { value £ per cent.	41,929,447 100	48,100,897 115	54,017,714 129	60,499,787 144	65,153,286 155	66,661,444 159	66,310,618 158	67,394,400 161	74,103,550 177	79,571,745 190

* Large importations of wheat and other vegetable foodstuffs were made in this year.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY FOR THE COMMONWEALTH, 1871-1918.

Heading.	Years.						
	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1911.	1917.	1918.
Population . .							
Males	928,918	1,247,059	1,736,617	2,004,836	2,377,920	2,419,001	2,473,297
Females	771,970	1,059,677	1,504,368	1,820,077	2,190,787	2,516,310	2,557,182
Total	1,700,888	2,306,736	3,240,985	3,824,913	4,568,707	4,935,311	5,030,479
Births . .							
No.	63,625	80,004	110,187	102,945	122,193	129,965	125,739
Rate	38.00	35.26	34.47	27.16	27.21	26.51	25.25
Deaths . .							
No.	22,175	33,327	47,430	46,330	47,869	48,029	50,249
Rate	13.24	14.69	14.84	12.22	10.66	9.80	10.09
Marriages . .							
No.	11,623	17,244	23,862	27,753	39,482	33,666	33,141
Rate	6.94	7.60	7.47	7.32	8.79	6.87	6.65
Agriculture—							
Wheat							
Area, acs.	1,279,778	3,002,064	3,335,528	5,115,965	7,427,834	9,774,658	7,990,165
Yld., bshl.	11,917,741	21,443,862	25,675,265	38,561,619	71,636,347	114,733,584	75,638,262
Av.	9.31	7.14	7.70	7.54	9.64	11.74	9.47
Oats							
Area, acs.	225,492	194,816	246,129	461,430	616,794	615,800	768,152
Yld., bshl.	4,251,630	4,795,897	5,726,256	9,789,854	9,561,833	10,387,431	10,441,080
Av.	18.85	24.62	23.27	21.22	15.50	16.87	13.59
Barley							
Area, acs.	48,164	75,864	68,068	74,511	116,466	204,870	254,869
Yld., bshl.	726,158	1,353,380	1,178,560	1,519,819	2,056,836	3,996,858	4,763,721
Av.	15.08	17.84	17.31	20.40	17.66	19.51	18.69
Maize							
Area, acs.	142,078	165,777	284,428	294,849	340,065	332,057	286,812
Yld., bshl.	4,576,635	5,726,266	9,261,922	7,034,786	8,939,855	8,843,262	6,912,153
Av.	32.21	34.54	32.56	23.86	26.29	26.63	24.10
Hay							
Area, acs.	303,274	768,388	942,166	1,688,402	2,518,351	2,212,914	2,692,904
Yld., tons	375,871	767,194	1,067,255	2,024,608	2,867,973	2,723,921	2,893,602
Av.	1.24	1.00	1.13	1.20	1.14	1.23	1.07
Potatoes ¹							
Area, acs.	67,911	76,265	112,884	109,685	130,463	136,241	111,169
Yld., tons	212,896	243,216	380,477	322,524	301,489	347,395	260,416
Av.	3.13	3.19	3.37	2.94	2.31	2.55	2.34
Sugar Cane ⁴							
Area, acs.	11,576	19,708	45,444	86,950	101,010	114,295	116,138
Yld., tons	176,632	349,627	737,573	1,367,802	1,682,250	2,879,092	1,780,063
Av.	15.25	17.74	16.23	15.73	16.65	25.19	15.33
Vineyards							
Area, acs.	16,253	14,570	48,882	63,677	60,602	67,862	70,058
Wine, gal.	2,104,000	1,488,000	3,535,000	5,816,087	4,975,147	6,865,106	8,692,837
Total value all agricultural production . . £	8,941,000	15,519,000	16,480,000	23,835,000	38,774,000	57,967,000	58,080,000
Pastoral, dairying, &c.—							
Sheep No.	40,072,955	65,092,719	106,421,068	72,040,211	93,003,521	84,965,012	87,086,236
Cattle	4,277,228	8,010,991	11,112,112	8,491,428	11,828,954	11,926,024	12,738,852
Horses	701,530	1,058,09	1,584,737	1,620,420	2,279,027	2,498,940	2,528,243
Pigs	586,017	703,188	845,888	931,309	1,110,721	1,168,989	1,319,902
Wool prod. lb. greasy	179,000,000	332,759,000	631,587,000	543,131,661	721,298,288	573,693,252	657,911,710
Butter production lbs.			47,433,564	101,671,066	211,573,745	200,497,014	181,802,675
Cheese production			19,146,929	11,575,692	15,886,712	27,430,805	23,790,240
Bacon and ham				34,020,629	53,264,652	64,911,047	66,171,428
Total estimated value of pastoral and dairying production . . £	20,736,000	29,538,000	39,256,000	36,890,000	69,832,000	124,721,000	132,036,000
Mineral production—							
Gold	£ 7,916,627	5,194,390	5,281,309	14,017,508	10,551,624	6,185,410	5,408,157
Silver and lead	£ 36,528	45,622	3,736,352	2,367,687	3,022,177	5,510,303	6,104,977
Copper	£ 830,242	714,003	367,373	2,215,431	2,564,278	4,863,890	4,464,787
Tin	£ 24,0 0	1,145,889	560,502	448,234	1,209,973	1,084,330	1,432,294
Zinc	£ 369	200	2,979	4,067	1,415,169	441,486	295,413
Coal	£ 330,759	637,865	1,914,026	2,602,770	3,929,673	5,596,425	6,123,747
Total value of all mineral production . . £	9,190,330	7,820,290	12,108,759	21,922,665	23,494,324	25,590,839	26,155,649
Forestry production—							
Quantity of local timber sawn or hewn	1,000 sup. ft.						
	3..	3..	3..	452,131	593,345	440,952	472,394
Manufactories—							
No. of factories	..				14,455	15,179	15,421
Hands employed No.	..				311,710	321,670	328,049
Wages paid £	2..	2..	2..	2..	27,528,371	36,618,218	38,379,268
Total value of output £					133,022,090	206,376,646	225,753,611
Value added in process of manufacture £					54,017,714	74,093,550	79,571,745

¹ Partly estimated 1871 and 1881. ² Owing to variation in classification and lack of information effective comparison is impossible. ³ Information not available. ⁴ Area of productive cane. ⁵ Season ended 30th June year following.

STATISTICAL SUMMARY FOR THE COMMONWEALTH—*continued.*

Heading.	Years.						
	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1911.	1917.	1918.
Shipping—							
Oversea vessels { No. ent. and cleared { ton	2,748 1,312,642	3,284 2,549,364	3,778 4,726,307	4,028 6,541,991	4,174 9,984,801	2,197 5,031,750	2,614 6,180,486
Commerce—							
Imports oversea £ " per head £	17,017,000 10/3/3	29,067,000 12/16/2	37,711,000 11/16/0	42,434,000 11/3/11	66,967,488 14/18/3	62,334,449 12/12/7	102,335,159 20/6/10
Exports oversea £ " per head £	21,725,000 12/19/6	27,528,000 12/2/8	36,043,000 11/5/6	49,696,000 13/2/2	79,482,258 17/14/1	81,429,221 16/10/-	113,963,976 22/13/1
Total oversea trade £ " per head £	38,742,000 23/2/9	56,595,000 24/18/10	73,754,000 23/1/6	92,130,000 24/6/1	146,449,746 32/12/4	143,763,670 29/2/7	216,299,135 42/19/1
Customs and excise duties .. £	..	4,809,326 2/2/5	7,440,869 2/6/7	8,656,530 2/5/8	13,515,005 3/0/2	13,176,834 2/13/5	17,423,083 3/9/3
Principal Oversea Ex- ports ¹							
Wool { entl. (greasy) " { £	1,766,358 9,459,629	3,283,692 13,173,026	6,192,598 19,940,029	5,180,181 15,237,454	7,203,649 26,071,193	3,777,024 24,518,387	6,763,057 42,766,755
Wheat { centals " { £	479,954 193,732	3,218,792 1,189,762	5,876,875 1,938,864	12,156,035 2,774,643	33,088,704 9,641,608	13,789,063 5,990,298	26,738,188 11,334,655
Flour { tons " { £	12,988 170,415	49,549 519,635	33,363 328,423	96,814 589,604	175,891 1,391,529	374,083 4,419,185	459,354 5,551,612
Butter { centals " { £	18,127 45,813	12,988 39,383	42,395 206,868	346,074 1,451,168	1,017,221 4,637,362	722,775 4,904,421	411,148 3,193,086
Skins and hides £ Tallow .. £	100,123 914,278	316,878 644,149	873,693 571,069	1,250,938 677,745	3,227,236 1,935,836	2,851,451 897,822	4,401,916 2,172,268
Meats .. £	566,780	362,965	460,894	2,611,244	4,303,159	8,318,323	9,207,787
Timber (undressed) £	42,586	118,117	38,448	731,301	1,023,960	230,073	227,230
Gold .. £	7,184,833	6,445,365	5,703,532	14,315,741	12,043,766	..	..
Silver and lead £	37,891	57,954	1,932,278	2,250,253	3,212,584	4,230,450	4,826,002
Copper .. £	598,538	676,515	417,687	1,619,145	2,345,961	3,115,253	2,211,230
Coal .. £	134,355	361,081	645,972	986,957	900,622	260,351	387,422
Government Railways—							
Length of line open mls.	970	3,832	9,541	12,579	16,078	21,642	22,180
Capital cost .. £	19,269,786	42,741,350	99,764,090	123,223,779	152,194,603	214,279,982	220,301,722
Gross revenue £	1,102,650	3,910,122	8,654,085	11,038,468	17,847,837	23,042,653	24,323,218
Working expenses £	608,332	2,141,735	5,630,182	7,133,617	10,945,727	16,960,830	17,665,661
Per cent. of working ex- penses on earnings %	55.17	54.77	65.06	64.63	61.33	73.61	72.63
Postal—							
Letters and postcards dealt with .. No.	24,382,000	67,640,000	157,297,000	220,853,000	453,063,000	576,951,000	553,959,000
" " per head No.	14.54	29.61	49.07	58.26	100.90	116.90	110.12
Newspapers dealt with							
per head .. No.	3,336,000	38,063,000	85,280,000	102,727,000	141,638,000	134,946,000	135,970,000
" " per head ..	7.95	16.66	26.61	27.10	31.54	27.34	27.03
Cheque-paying Banks—							
Note circulation £	2,456,487	3,978,711	4,417,269	3,406,175	2876,428	2238,350	224,739
Coin and bullion held £	6,168,869	9,108,243	16,712,923	19,737,572	30,024,225	22,886,899	22,032,489
Advances .. £	26,039,573	57,732,824	129,741,583	89,167,499	116,769,133	147,954,641	192,070,161
Deposits .. £	21,856,959	53,849,455	98,349,338	90,965,530	147,103,081	204,594,575	244,482,241
Savings Banks—							
Number of depositors ..	100,713	250,070	614,741	964,553	1,600,112	2,621,872	2,830,593
Total deposits £	3,193,285	7,854,480	15,536,592	30,882,645	59,393,682	110,720,629	116,786,641
Average per depositor £	31/14/2	31/8/2	25/5/6	32/0/4	37/2/4	42/4/7	41/5/2
Average per head of population £	1/18/9	3/10/5	4/18/7	8/3/0	13/8/5	22/8/8	23/5/0
State Schools—							
Number of schools ..	2,502	4,491	6,231	7,012	8,060	8,992	9,023
Teachers .. No.	4,641	9,028	12,564	14,500	16,971	24,177	24,853
Enrolment .. "	236,710	432,320	561,153	638,478	638,850	764,980	779,687
Aver. attendance ..	137,767	255,143	350,773	450,246	463,799	600,083	612,747

¹ Australian produce, except gold, which includes re-exports. ² Decrease due to prohibition of re-issue.